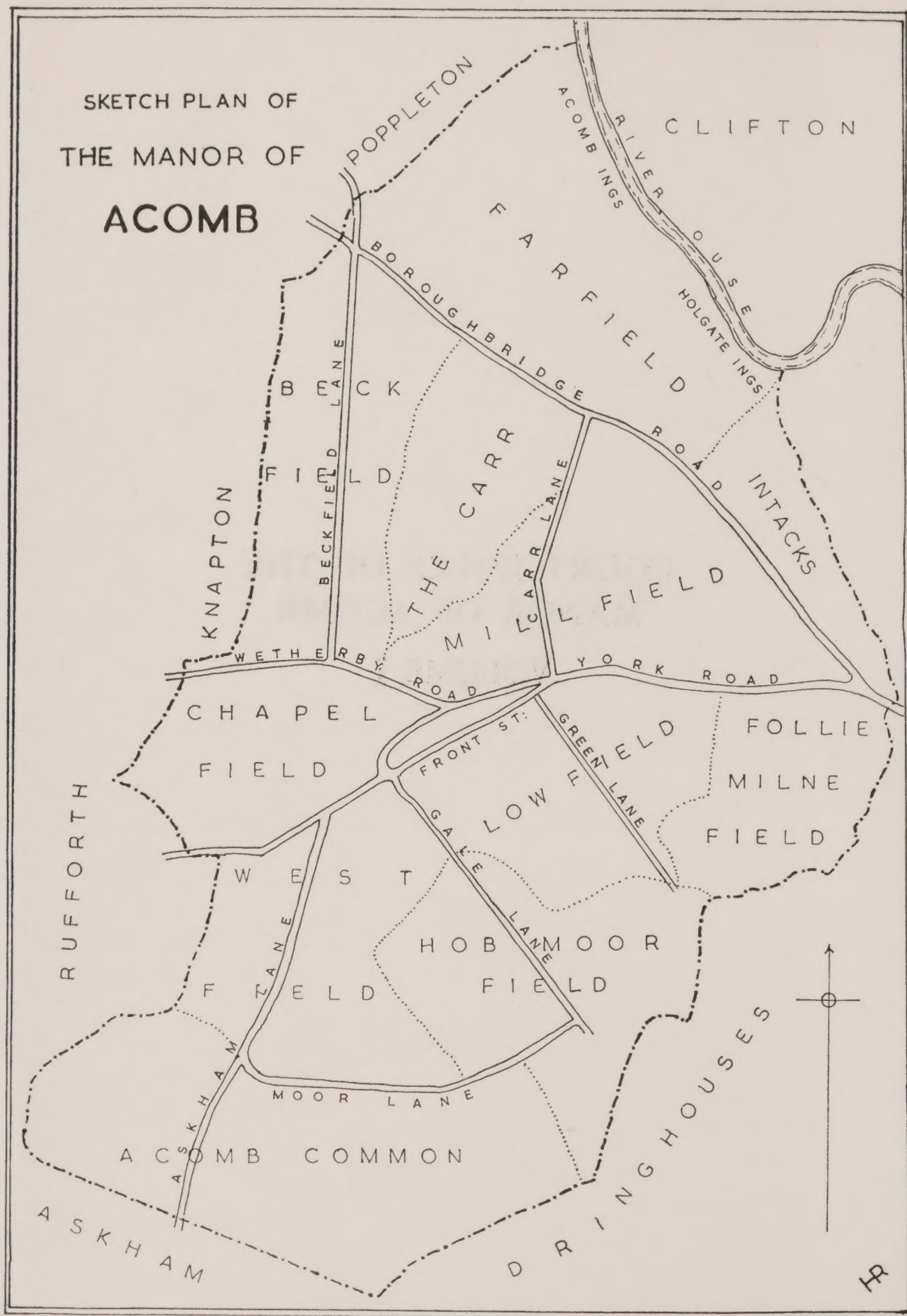


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INTRODUCTION

The manor of Acomb is now included within the boundaries of the city of York, where it forms two of the largest municipal wards, Acomb and Holgate. Prior to 1937 Acomb was a township within the wapentake of Ainsty in the West Riding of Yorkshire, situate about 2 miles to the west of the city. The village itself stands on the northern of two great crescents of morainic débris which sweep across the level valley of the Ouse, the morainic mound on which the church stands being conspicuous.

There are three mentions of Acomb in Domesday, the first being:— 'In Achum 14½ carucates for geld, and 8 ploughs can be [there]. St. Peter had, and has [it] for 1 manor. 14 rent payers are there now, having 7 ploughs. 6 acres of meadow. Underwood 2 furlongs in length and 2 in breadth. The whole [has] 1 league in length and half [a league] in breadth. T.R.E. it was worth 30s.; now [it is worth] the same.' The second reference reads:— 'In Acum Ulchel has two carucates of land for geld. Land for one plough. He has half a plough there. Wood[land] 9 furlongs. It is worth 4s.' Finally:— 'In Acum the Archbishop 14½ carucates. In the same place the King 2 carucates.'¹

It is therefore evident that the Archbishops of York owned the manor from at least the time of King Edward the Confessor. In 1228 Archbishop Walter Gray gave the manor to the treasurers of York Minster who held the estate until 1547 when William Cliffe resigned his dignity to King Edward VI, with all its demesnes, manors, rights etc. Acomb remained in the King's hands until 1623 when James I exchanged the manor of Acomb, along with lands at Bedale, Clifton, Goodmanham, Sancton, Brighton and Melbourne, with Archbishop Toby Matthew for York House and other properties in the parish of St. Martin-in-the-Fields in the county of Middlesex. Mr. Francis Barlow purchased the manor in 1855, except for a small portion which had been sold previously to the Great North of England Railway Company. The lordship was finally extinguished in 1925, the last lord of the manor of Acomb being Mr. Algernon Barlow of Bossall Hall.

During the time that the manor was owned by the King and the Archbishops it was farmed out to various families, usually in eleven year periods, at a reserved rent of £42 per annum. There are 31 leases still in existence, 3 of which are deposited with the city archives at the York Public Library, the rest being in the keeping of

¹ *Victoria County History – West Riding of Yorkshire*, Vol. 2, pp. 213, 286, 303.

the Borthwick Institute of Historical Research. All the leases are in the same wording, except for the names and dates, and show the manor to have contained, in addition to the present Acomb ward, the whole of Holgate ward and 'all the Rents of the tenements of Clifton, parcell of the Manor of Acomb by Copy of Court Roll, amounting to £4 7. 7½d. per year and the Rents of Skelton, parcell of the Manor of Acomb by Copy of Court Roll, amounting to 22s. 8d. per year and the Rents of the Manor of Wiggington, parcell of the Manor of Acomb by Copy of Court Roll, amounting to 20s. per year and the Rents of the tenements of Wiggington amounting to 28s. 6½d. and the Rents of Bowtham, in price Ninety and Nine Henns by the price of every 2½d. in the whole amounting to 19s. 7d. per year and the perquisites of Courts and other Royalties of the Manor amounting to £5 per year'.

'A History of Acomb' was published in November 1963. In the following March (1964) Mr. William Hudson, retired antique dealer of Acomb, brought to my notice a hoard of over 260 documents concerning the manorial courts of the manor of Acomb which had been found in an old chest in an outhouse of the Manor Farm, originally part of the 15th century manor house. These documents are now, thanks to Mr. Hudson, safely lodged with the city archives at the York Public Library. The most important part of this find was 66 manor court rolls, dated from 1553 to 1767, written on parchment, and varying in length from a single membrane to eleven membranes. The rest of the hoard is made up of 'Extracts from Court Rolls', written on paper, lists of presentments and pains laid, surrenders, call rolls, dated from 1661 to 1747, containing lists of freeholders and copyholders in Acomb, Holgate, Clifton, Wiggington and Skelton, sundry accounts, etc.

In 1967 Messrs. Gray, Dodsworth & Cobb, Solicitors, of Duncombe Place, York, discovered in their possession two books containing records of Acomb manor courts and deposited them with the York Public Library. These books cover the period 1737 to 1797. There is besides, in the Borthwick Institute, York, one roll containing courts for 1544-45, the earliest so far discovered.

The manorial court was normally held by the lord's steward and met in three capacities – the Court Baron for freeholders, the Court Customary for copyholders, and the Court Leet, which was concerned with keeping the peace within the manor. In Acomb the courts were held twice a year, at Easter and Michaelmas, both courts generally having one or more adjournments. The jury, or homage, consisted of a foreman and twelve jurors selected from the freeholders and copyholders. Sometimes affeerers, or assessors, were appointed also, sometimes the whole homage acted in that capacity. After the jury and affeerers, if any, had been sworn in, it was usual to call the roll, the names being listed in the court roll on some occasions and at others being written on separate lists. Defaulters were fined, usually 4d., unless they were essoined, or

excused. After the above proceedings were completed, the business of the court followed, apparently in this order:— first ‘complaints’, or what we should to-day call private prosecutions, for debt, assault or other grievance, then ‘surrenders’, or the transfer of land and property for various reasons – sale, mortgage, inheritance, etc. ‘Presentments’ followed, that is prosecutions by the court or its officials, then ‘penalties imposed’, ‘pains laid’ or ‘ordinances’, that is to say regulations for future conduct, with the penalties for transgression stated. The final item on the rolls is usually the ‘election of officers’.

The commons and open fields of Acomb and Holgate were enclosed under an Act of Parliament of 14 George III [1774] entitled ‘An Act for dividing and inclosing the several open common fields, common pastures, ings and commons and other waste lands and grounds within the Townships of Acomb and Holdgate in the County of the City of York.’ Robert Bewlay of York, Richard Cross of Pocklington and John Outram of Kilham were appointed commissioners to put the Act into execution, whilst Miles Pawson of Oxtun was appointed surveyor. After due deliberation the Award of the Commissioners was published, bearing the date, 7th September 1776.¹

The court rolls are printed with the headings in **Heavy Type** and the sundry papers and books with the headings in CAPITALS. Of the sundry papers some are still in private hands and where these are used they are marked by * at the beginning and end of the entry. The material from the books supplied by Messrs. Gray, Dodsworth & Cobb is also printed with the headings in capitals and is distinguished by † at the beginning and end of each entry.

Before 1680 most of the material is written in Latin, with occasional sections in English, which are so marked. From 1680 onwards English is predominant and any Latin passages have been noted. All the material has been reduced in volume as far as possible in order to save space, whilst preserving all proper names, both personal and place and land names. The original spelling used has been retained as far as possible. Interpolations by the editor are printed in [].

I should like to record my most grateful thanks to Mrs. Joyce W. Percy, B.A., archivist to the city of York, who undertook the translation of the court rolls which are written in Latin and has checked the material before I worked on the manuscript. Any remaining mistakes are entirely my own. I should also like to thank Mr. C. B. L. Barr, M.A., of the York Minster Library who translated all the sundry papers which were written in Latin.

HAROLD RICHARDSON.

¹ The Award is in the keeping of York Corporation, Guildhall, York. More details and a summary of the Award are printed in ‘*A History of Acomb*’, Harold Richardson, 1963.

NOTE

Shortly after the typescript of this volume was sent to the printers, the Record Series committee heard, with very great regret, of the death of Mr. H. G. Richardson. His enthusiastic and careful work on the Acomb Court Rolls was complete and the two volumes will be published as arranged. A consolidated index will appear at the end of the second part and there should be only a relatively small interval between the two volumes. The Hon. Secretary hopes that the work will appear as Mr. Richardson would have wished, and that any errors which may creep in should not be attributed to him.

Mrs. M. STANLEY PRICE, *Hon. Sec.*

ABBREVIATIONS

Common abbreviations for Christian names have been used through the text.

a.	acre(s)
ald.	alderman
a. r. p.	acres, roods, perches (in terriers and surveys)
dft.	defendant (in actions)
p.	perch (one-fortieth of one rood)
p.a.	per annum
plt.	plaintiff (in actions)
qter	quarter (dry measure)
r.	rood (quarter-acre)
yd	yard
yr	year

COURT ROLLS OF THE MANOR OF ACOMB

Court with View of Frankpledge of the Ven. Master William Clyff, clerk, Doctor of Laws and Treasurer of the metropolitan church of St. Peter of York, held on Thursday 16 May 36 Henry VIII [1544].

Essoins. Isabel Fons, *synglewoman* and John Beylbe.

Jurors. Wm. Dogeson, ald., John Plewman, Thos. Neuwark, gent., Ric. Holgayte, gent., Robt. Spynk, Wm. Sherecroft, John Metham, Ric. Jakson, John Kyrkbe, Wm. Lawrens, Robt. Skadlok, Guy Spacy, Robt. Palleser, Wm. Rycharson.

Adam Atkynson of York, tanner, died seised of a messuage and 2 oxgangs of land in Holgayte. Thos. Atkynson of York, merchant, was his oldest son and nearest heir. He paid a fine of 33s. 4d. and was admitted subject to the payment of 5s. p.a. to Joan, wife of Ric. Williamson of York, cordwainer, widow of Adam, for the term of her life. She paid a fine of 2s. 6d.

Thos. Atkynson surrendered the said messuage and 2 oxgangs of land in Holgayte to the use of John Bobson for 12 yrs from the feast of St. Martin in Winter next [Nov. 11], for an [unspecified] sum of money. Fine 10s.

Thos. Atkynson also surrendered the reversion of the above premises to the use of Wm. Atkynson, his eldest son. Fine 20s.

Robt. Herryson of Normuskham [North Muskham, Notts.] *Husbondman* received from the lord the reversion of a cottage and 1 oxgang of land in Acome after the death of Agnes Herryson, widow, his mother. Fine 6s. 8d.

Geo. Gyll, late of Acome, husbandman, surrendered per Ric. Holgayte, gent., and Roger Skadlok a messuage and 1 oxgang of land in Acome to the use of John Gyll, one of his sons. Fine 13s. 4d.

Geo. Gyll also surrendered per Ric. Holgayte and Roger Skadlok 1 oxgang of land in Acome fields to the use of Roger Gyll, one of his sons. Fine 6s. 8d.

Anthony Norman, gent. surrendered per Ric. Holgayte, gent. and Roger Skadlok a messuage and 2 oxgangs of land in Acome to the use of Guy Swayle for 21 yrs from the feast of the Purification of the B.V.M. next [Feb. 2] for a consideration [unspecified] and 18s. 4d. p.a. rent. Guy Swayle agreed to repair the messuage and other buildings only in the roofing with *thak* straws and *dawbyng* with mud, Anthony Norman to do all other repairs or make an allowance in the rent. Fine 6s. 8d.

Anthony also surrendered per Ric. Holgayte and Roger Skadlok a messuage and 2 oxgangs of land in Acome, and also a garden near the messuage called a *hempgarth* to the use of Hy. Vance, *husbondman*,

for 21 yrs from the feast of the Purification of the B.V.M. next for a certain consideration [unspecified] and 20s. p.a. rent. Hy. Vance to repair only the messuage roof and other buildings with *thak* straws and the *dawbyng* with mud, all other repairs to be done by Anth. Norman or allowed for from the rent. Fine 6s. 8d.

Isabel Cooke was not in her right mind and was unable to conduct her affairs properly. The jurors sought from the lord and his deputy that she and her customary lands be committed to the safe keeping of Roger Skadlok who was to give sufficient and honest account of the profits and rents. The lord agreed to their request.

Penalties Imposed.

The inhabitants of Acome to scour and cleanse the common well at the east end of Acome within 15 days

each 3s. 4d.

They were to make sufficient fences between their land and their neighbours' now lying open within 8 days each 20d.

No tenant of Acome nor of Holgayte to encroach on the lord's waste without his licence . . . 3s. 4d.

All tenants of Holgayte to scour a water sewer flowing into the Marre and now blocked up within 8 days each 20d.

They were to make up their fences now lying open within 8 days each 20d.

They were to . . . [parchment defective] for the punishment and correction of offenders against the king's peace and of vagrants according to several royal statutes before Whitsuntide next each 20d.

Geo. Gyll, late of Acome, *husbondman* on 6 Nov. 35 Hy. VIII [1543] surrendered per Ric. Holgayte, gent. and Roger Skadlok 1 oxgang of land in Acome to the use of Eliz. Gyll, his wife, for life, remainder to Margaret and Agnes Gyll, his daughters. Fines 6s. 8d. for possession and 6s. 8d. for the remainder.

Court with View of Frankpledge of the Ven. Master William Clyff, clerk, Doctor of Laws and Treasurer of the Metropolitan Church of St. Peter of York, Thursday 6 Nov. 36 Hen. VIII [1544].

Essoins. Thos. Lawson, gent., Robt. Spynk, John Beilbe, John Metham, Isabel Fons, *synglewoman*.

Jurors. Wm. Dogeson of York, ald., Thos. Newark, gent., Ric. Holgayte, gent., Lancelot Metcalff, gent., Robt. Palleser, John Skadlok, Wm. Rychardson, John Kirkbe, Wm. Lawrence, jnr., Guy Spacy, John Gyll, Roger Gyll.

Robt. Herryson of Normuskham [North Muskham] in the County of Notyngham, surrendered per John Kirkbe of York, bower, and Roger Skadlok the reversion of a cottage and 1 oxgang of land in Acome to the use of Ric. Holgayte, gent. and Agnes, his wife. Fine 6s. 8d.

Robt. Skadlok surrendered per Guy Spacy and Roger Skadlok a messuage and 2 oxgangs of land and meadow in Acome to the use

of Eliz. Skadlok, his wife, for life, remainder to Adam Skadlok, his son. Fines, 20s. for possession and 10s. for the reversion.

Agnes Clayton of Acome, *synglewoman*, surrendered per Guy Spacy and Roger Skadlok a messuage and 1 oxgang of land in Acome to the use of Kath Gyll, widow, her sister, for life, remainder to Margaret Gyll, *synglewoman*, daughter of Kath. Fines, 10s. for possession and 5s. for the remainder.

Wm. Laurence, snr., of York, *tylemayker*, surrendered 1 rood of arable land in Clyfton fields, between the lands of Chris. Danby, kt. on N. and Wm. Ingilby on S. to the use of Wm. Laurence, jnr., his son. Fine 4d.

Joan Burdeux of Acome, widow, surrendered the reversion of 1 oxgang of land in Acome fields to the use of John Burdeux, her son. Fine 5s.

Isabel Cooke, widow, one of the daughters and heirs of Thos. Hutchonson, late of Holgayte, husbandman, and Peter Skadlok, son and heir of Agnes Skadlock, deceased, the other daughter of Thos. paid a fine of £3 6s. 8d. and were admitted tenants to 2 messuages and 4 oxgangs of land in Holgayte.

Court of the Ven. Master William Clyff, Doctor of Laws and Treasurer of the Cathedral Church of St. Peter of York, Thursday 5 Mar. 36 Hy. VIII [1545].

Jurors. Wm. Dogeson, gent., Thos. Neuwark, gent., Ric. Holgayte, gent., Wm. Sherecroft, John Beylbe, gent., Thos. Atkysoon, Robt. Spynk, Roger Skadlok, Robt. Palleser, John Kyrkbe, bower, John Gyll, Wm. Lawrens, jnr., Guy Spacy.

Eliz. Metcalff, widow of Edw. Metcalff of Fulfurth, *husbondman*, died seised of 2 cottages in Clyfton, 10 acres of arable land and $\frac{1}{2}$ a. of meadow in the Fittis and 1 small close in Clyfton fields, 10 other a. of meadow in Acome called *Clyfton Acre*, 1 rood in Clyfton which led *thorow le hall place*, all of which were in the tenure of Wm. Luff of Clyfton, *husbondman*, Anth. Sandwyth of York, bower, and Robt. Kyddall of Clyfton, husbandman. Ric. Sandwyth was Eliz. Metcalff's eldest son and heir. Fine 33s. 4d.

Court with View of Frankpledge of the Ven. Master William Clyff, clerk, Doctor of Laws and Treasurer of the metropolitan church of St. Peter of York, Thursday 30 April 37 Hen. VIII [1545].

Essoins. Ric. Holgayte, gent. and Wm. Sherecroft.

Jurors. Wm. Dogeson of York, ald., Thos. Neuark, gent., Thos. Atkykson, Robt. Spynk, Roger Skadlok, Robt. Palleser, Wm. Richardson, Geo. Gyll, Roger Gyll, John Gyll, John Yats, Guy Spacy.

Isabel Cooke, widow, one of the daughters and heirs of Thos. Hutchonson who held of the lord one half share of 2 messuages and 4 oxgangs of land and meadow in Holgayte died seised thereof

since the last court. Guy Cooke was her son and heir. Fine [unspecified].

Wm. Skadlok for not ringing 7 pigs by the given date			
to the annoyance of his neighbours	..	Fined	2s. 4d.
Geo. Browne likewise for 1 sow	..	Fined	4d.
John Robynson likewise for 1 sow	..	Fined	4d.

All the tenants of base tenure in Acome and Holgayte made default on the vigil of Palm Sunday last [Mar. 28] in not bearing rushes and palms to the Cathedral Church of St. Peter of York, according to manorial custom. The lord offered to overlook on condition that no one again commit the same default under penalty of 4d.

Court of George Gale, Esq., farmer of the Queen's [manor] with View of Frankpledge, 24 Oct. 1 Mary [1553].

Essoins. Robt. Buttry, by Wm. Spynk.

Jurors. Ric. Holgate, gent., Robt. Newton, Wm. Tyson, Thos. Palezar, Robt. Spacy, John Kirkby, Wm. Spynk, John Grangar, John Pulley, John Gill, Robt. Gill, John Burdeux, Robt. Palezar.

Complaints.

Wm. Thakwray against John Gill in a plea of debt on demand of 13s. 4d. The dft. could not deny the debt. The plt. to recover the debt and 2d. costs.

John Gill against John Grangar that he owed him 12s. The dft. could not deny the debt. Ordered that the plt. recover his debt and 2d. costs.

Verdict. The following persons owed suit of court but defaulted. They were therefore fined as stated:— Wm. Thwaites, esq. (4d) and Ric. Stapleton, esq. (4d), free tenants, Thos. Lawson, gent. (2d), John Beilby, gent. (2d), Wm. Shercroft (4d), Thos. Beane (4d), Peter Newarke, gent. (2d), Thos. Westrawe (4d), John Skadlok (4d), Edw. Sandwith (2d), and Robt. Plowghman (2d). Total 2s. 10d.

Chris. Dogeson, son and heir of John Dogeson, ald. of the city of York, deceased, surrendered per John Pulley and John Kirkby, 2 messuages, 1 cottage with an orchard and a garden, 2 oxgangs and 3 a. of land in Holgate to the use of Robt. Pacock, ald. Seisin granted to Robt. Pacock and Lady Anne, his wife, on condition that he pay Chris. Dogeson, during his lifetime, 56s. 8d. p.a. Fine 6s. 8d.

Roger Metcalf surrendered per John Gill and Robt. Plowghman a messuage with a garden and 3 oxgangs of land in Acome to the use of Wm. Thakwray for 9 yrs. at 27s. 4d. p.a. rent. Fine 10s.

Roger Metcalf also surrendered per Robt. Plowghman and John Gill a messuage and 2 oxgangs of land in Acome in the occupation of Geo. Swale to the use of the said Geo for 9 yrs. at 22s. p.a. rent. Fine 6s. 8d.

Ric. Holgate, gent., for drawing blood of Patrick Bayne alias Skotte. Fined 6s. 8d.

John Gresham of York for an affray and drawing blood of Thos. Rutte. Fined 10s.

2 unknown strangers for 2 affrays at Holgate on Wm. Holgate and the wife of [blank] Walter .. Fined 6s. 8d.
[blank] Fairwedard of York, pewterer, became surety for the payment of their fine.

The widow of Hy. Hill of Over Poppleton and Hy. Hill, her son, for an affray and drawing blood of Thos. [blank] the common pinder Fined 10s. 0d.

John Robynson for a manner of affray on Geo. Browne Fined 8d.

Patrick Bayne for keeping unlawful company and players of cards and other unlawful games in his house at untimely hours of the night to the annoyance of his neighbours Fined 3s. 4d.

Penalties.

All servants and labourers were ordered not to play cards and bowls Penalty 12d.

All inhabitants of Acome and Holgate to make and repair their fences between their land and their neighbours' before the feast of St. Martin [Nov. 11] under supervision of Ric. Holgate, Robt. Newton, John Granger and John Gill Penalty 3s. 4d.

If the 4 supervisors defaulted they were each to be fined 12d.

Election of Officers.

John Gill, constable for Acome.

Thos. Bernard, constable for Holgate.

Wm. Thakwray and Robt. Bolton, ale tasters for Acome.

John Burdeux, ale taster for Holgate.

Thos. Lawson, gent., and Robt. Gill, graves¹ for Acome.

Ric. Holgate, grave for Holgate.

Total profits of this court 56s. 10d. *over and besyds Mr. Pacok's fyne.* [Latin].

Court with View of Frankpledge, 4 Oct. 1 & 2 Philip and Mary [1554].

Essoins. Robt. Gill and Robt. Buttrey.

Jury. Peter Newark, esq., Robt. Newton, Wm. Shercroft, Robt. Spacy, Robt. Plowghman, Roger Skadlok, Wm. Spynk, Wm. Tysone, John Kirkby, Ric. Diconson, John Burdeux, Thos. Palezar, Wm. Holgate, John Skadlok.

Verdict. The following persons owed suit of court but defaulted. They were therefore fined as stated:— Wm. Thwayte, esq. (12d), Fran. Inglefeild, kt. (4d), and Ric. Stapleton, kt. (4d) free tenants.

¹ Bailiffs.

All water sewers to be adequately scoured before All Saints' Day Penalty 2s.

John Granger to remove, within 12 days, the *rayll* and two *stuplpes*¹ lately erected by him in the common way Penalty 3s. 4d.

The 10s. imposed before the official of the spiritual lord for not enclosing the churchyard should be levied by the bailiff to the use of the lord unless it was adequately enclosed by All Saints' Day.

Robt. Newton, John Cowper, Wm. Thakwray and Robt. Spacy were to supervise the repairing of fences in Acome Penalty 2s. each

Wm. Tysons and Thos. Bernard to do likewise in Holgate Penalty 2s. each

Election of Officers.

Constables, Robt. Boltone for Acome, Wm. Tysons for Holgate. Ale Tasters, John Gill and Geo. Lorymar for Acome, Brian Redman for Holgate.

Total profits for this court [blank].

Court with View of Frankpledge, Monday, 6 May 1 & 2 Philip and Mary [1555] before William Tankard, esq.

Essoins. Wm. Sherecroft by John Kirkby, John Richardson by G. Browne, Thos. Westrawe by Ric. Holgate, Guy Cooke by [blank].

Jury. Peter Newarke, esq., Ric. Holgate, gent., Robt. Newton, Roger Metcalf, Thos. Shiptone, John Graunger, Roger Skadloke, Robt. Spacy, Robt. Palezar, John Gyll, John Burdeaux, Robt. Plowghman, John Skadloke, Robt. Gill, John Kirkby.

Complaints. Geo. Browne against Robt. Palezar in a plea of debt on demand of 26s. 8d. The dft. denied the debt and both he and the plt. put themselves on the homage. The jurors said dft. owed 20s. Damages 4d.

Robt. Newton against Robt. Johnson in a plea of trespass because dft. had removed the plt's hay to his loss of 3s. Dft. denied the charge and put himself on the homage who said he was guilty. Damages 4d.

John Robynson against Robt. Dightone that he withheld a measure of rye worth 2s. The bailiff was ordered to summon the dft. [marginal note:— 'Not prosecuted']

John Granger against Robt. Dightone withheld a measure of wheat worth 2s. 6d. The dft. denied the charge. The jurors said the dft. retained $\frac{1}{2}$ measure and assessed damages at 2d.

Roger Skadloke against Robt. Deightone that he withheld a measure of rye worth 2s. The dft. denied the charge. The plt. did not prosecute.

¹ Posts.

Verdict. Wm. Thwaytes, esq. (8d), Ric. Stapleton, kt. (8d), free tenants, and Wm. Watson, ald. [no fine stated], Thos. Beane (8d), and Wm. Holgate (4d), tenants at will owed suit of court but defaulted and were fined as stated.

Thos. Lawson, esq., surrendered per John Gill, Roger Metcalf and Robt. Spacy a messuage with barn and croft and 4 oxgangs of land in Acome and also a tenement, barn and garden at the E. end of Acome and 1 oxgang of land in Acome Fields to the use of Peter Newarke, esq. Fine 62s.

Ric. Dicconson surrendered per John Kirkby and Robt. Plowghman a messuage, barn and 1½ oxgangs of land in Holgate to the use of John Graunger. Fine 73s. 4d.

Peter Newarke, esq. surrendered per Robt. Spacy and Robt. Plowghman, 2 separate acres of land in Acome Fields to the use of Roger Metcalf. Fine 2s.

Roger Metcalf surrendered per Robt. Spacy and Robt. Plowghman 2 acres of land called *Moreland* in Acome Fields to the use of Peter Newarke, esq. Fine 2s.

Wm. Sherecroft and Matilda, his wife, surrendered per John Kirkby and John Gill a messuage with a croft and 1 oxgang of land in Acome to the use of Robt. Jakson and Alice, his wife. Fine 15s.

John Gill made complaint against John Granger and Eliz. his wife, in a plea of land, viz. a messuage, barn, toft and croft in Acome, and made protestation to pursue the complaint in the form of a royal writ.

John Granger surrendered per John Gill and John Kirkby 2 cottages, one built and one waste, lying between the tenement of John Curtes on the S. and the High Street on the N., 4 Carregates and 17 lands and a small close called *Stamis Close* and a piece of land lying between the land of Wm. Husband and John Skadloke in Acome, all of which he lately had by surrender of Thos. Lawson, to the use of Wm. Wynterburne. Fine 13s. 4d.

The lord personally granted to Francis Gale, gent. a waste messuage and 2 oxgangs of land in Acome and a tenement and 1 oxgang of land in Holgate. The property belonged to John Belby, gent., lately deceased without heirs. Fine 36s.

Wm. Wynterburne surrendered 2 cottages, 4 Carregates, 17 lands, a small close and another piece of land [as above] to the use of Wm. Bland and Eliz., his wife. Fine 20s.

Presentments.

Thos. Westrawe for an affray and drawing blood of John Warde 10s.

Wm. Vesse for an affray and drawing blood of Andrew Smyth 10s.

Isabel Skadloke is the daughter and nearest heir of Chris. Playce.

Patrick Bayne, Reg. Burdeux, John Lightfote, Robt. Johnson, John Granger, Thos. Taylor, John Robynson, Geo. Browne, Robt. Knaggs, Anthony Herrison, John Nelson, John Ward, John Geldert, John Murton, Ric. Furth, Robt. Wright, Geo. Skadloke, Robt.

Johnson, Roger Skadloke, Thos. Kirkby, John Nixsone, Wm. Skadloke, Mistress Hay, Robt. Allanby and Wm. Husband for not repairing their fences contrary to the penalty imposed at the last court, Fined 4d. each. Total 8s. 4d.

A day was given to the jurors to view a piece of ground, encroached from Acome Fields by a ditch lately made by Ric. Holgate, gent, and to impose a penalty for the reformation thereof.

Penalties.

No inhabitant of Acome to keep any person in his house other than a member of his family, from Whit sunday next 10s. 0d.

Every owner in Acome who made 2 dwellings out of 1 cottage 20s. 0d.

No inhabitant of Acome or Holgate to entertain any vagabonds in his house 6s. 8d.

Ellen Wrightson to depart from the township immediately and no one to harbour her 6s. 0d.

No inhabitant of Acome or Holgate to keep any unlawful dogs, except greyhounds or hunting dogs .. 3s. 0d.

They were not to keep in their houses any breeding dogs 20d.

They were to repair their house roofs with straw and mortar before the next court 10s. 0d.

All inhabitants of Acome from the middle of the town westwards to scour the common well called the Gaill Well before Whit Sunday 10s. 0d.

Wm. Skadloke not to allow any manure in his garden next to the well to corrupt the water 6s. 8d.

No inhabitant of Acome or Holgate to keep any mangy horses on the common [but only] separately on his own ground 20s. 0d.

No tenant of Holgate to tether his horses in the Wynter Cornefield, in the meadows or in any part that could be mown 12d.

Every inhabitant of Holgate to make up his fences against the cornfields before the feast of the Ascension .. 12d.

No inhabitant of Holgate to cut any whins on the moor except to *barband* [?] their ditches .. per load 4d.

Every inhabitant to make a sufficient causeway at their doorways before Whit Sunday 5s. 0d.

John Pulley, *tailor*, to send away Geo. Browne, snr., from his house before Whit Sunday 6s. 8d.

No one to take any green wood or dry wood from the demesne of Acome Grang or the woods thereof without licence of the owner or farmer. Penalty 4d. per load to be paid by the receiver.

Total profits of this court . . . [blank].

Court with View of Frankpledge, Friday, 24 April 2 & 3 Philip and Mary [1556].

Essoins. Adam Gill by John Gill, John Richardson by John Kirkby, Guy Cooke by John Burdeux and Edw. Sandwith by Anthony Sandwith.

Jury. Peter Newarke, Ric. Holgate, Robt. Newtone, Roger Skadloke, John Kirkby, John Burdeux, Wm. Tysone, Robt. Plowghman, Thos. Shiptone, John Granger, John Gill, Thos. Palezar, Wm. Burdeux.

Complaints.

Thos. Tanckard against Wm. Vescy in a plea of debt on demand of 10s. The dft. could not deny the debt.

Geo. Skadloke against Robt. [surname omitted] in a plea of trespass in that he had taken a piece of wood worth 2d. from his barn, to his loss of 6s. 8d. The dft. denied that he was guilty and put himself on the homage, the plt. did likewise. The jurors said the dft. was not guilty and the plt. was fined for an unjust complaint.

John Rawson against Wm. Husband in a plea of trespass that he had killed one of his sows worth 8s. to his loss of 13s. 4d. The dft. denied that he was guilty and both he and the plt. put themselves on the homage. The jurors said the dft. was not guilty and the plt. was fined.

Verdict. Ric. Stapleton, kt., and Wm. Ingleby, kt., free tenants, Wm. Sherecroft and Thos. Beane, customary tenants, owed suit of court but defaulted. Each fined 4d.

John Granger surrendered a messuage, barn and $1\frac{1}{2}$ oxgangs of land in Holgate, in the occupation of Thos. Barnard, to the use of Ric. Rede. Fine [unspecified].

[Presentments].

John Granger for cutting and taking away green wood contrary to the penalty imposed at the last court . . . 12d.

The swine of Thos. Westrawe (16d) and Robt. Palezar (4d) were found in the *Wynter Corne Fields* contrary to the penalty imposed.

Penalties.

No farmer in Acome to have more than 2 cart-loads of turves from the common each year under penalty of 10s. and no cottager more than 1 load under penalty of 5s. They were not to sell or give such turves under penalty of 10s.

Every inhabitant of Acome who carried wood to York in his carts to pay 1d. towards the repair of the highway . . . 12d.

All inhabitants of Acome to repair their fences between their land and their neighbours against the cornfield . . . 4d.

None to cut any green wood . . . 10s. 0d.

No inhabitant of Holgate to tether his horses in the *wynter cornfields* or any meadows . . . 2s. 0d.

The old penalty for burying dead pigs to remain in force.

Total profits of this court . . . [blank].

Court with View of Frankpledge, Wednesday, 16 Oct. 2 & 3 Philip and Mary [1555].

Essoins. Wm. Spynke by Robt. Buttry, Guy Cooke by John Burdeux.

Jury. Peter Newarke, gent., Ric. Holgate, Roger Metcalf, Robt. Newton, John Granger, Robt. Buttry, Thos. Shiptone, Roger Skadloke, Wm. Tison, Robt. Spacy, John Kirkby, Robt. Gill, John Gill, John Burdeux.

Complaints. Geo. Browne against Robt. Johnson in a plea of trespass on the grounds that Alice, his wife, had struck and wounded him causing damage to the value of 2s. The dft. was summoned to the next court.

John Granger complained of John Gill in a plea of debt on demand of 23s. 4d. for a cow. The dft. could not deny the debt. [The plt.] to recover etc.

John Gill against John Granger in a plea of debt on demand for a heifer worth 15s. The dft. denied the debt and he and the plt. put themselves on the Jury. The jurors sought time until the next court to make further enquiries.

Robt. Spacy against Wm. Holgate in a plea of trespass on the grounds that he killed his pig worth 18d. and his dog to his loss of 6s. 8d. The bailiff was ordered to summon the dft. to the next court.

Verdict. The following persons owed suit of court but defaulted and were fined as stated:— Ric. Stapleton (4d) and Wm. Ingleby (8d) kts., Wm. Shercroft (4d), Thos. Beane (8d) [crossed through], John Skadloke (2d), Edw. Sandwith (12d), Wilfred Pyndar (12d), Thos. Palizar (4d), tenants at will. Total 4s. 6d.

John Curtes surrendered per Ric. Holgate, gent., and Robt. Spacy a cottage with a barn, the Leyland, land called *Hyngyngclif* on the N. side of Haygate Balke and 1 oxgang of land in Acome to the use of Robt. Newton. Fine 26s. 8d.

Wm. Beilby and Joan, his wife, surrendered per Robt. Palizar and John Kirkby a cottage with a garden and 1 a. of land in Acome to the use of Robt. Newton. Fine 10s.

Wm. Bland and Eliz., his wife, surrendered per Ric. Holgate and John Kirkby 2 cottages, one built and the other waste, 4 Carregates, 17 lands and a small close called *Stamis Close* and a piece of land in Acome to the use of Thos. Shiptone. Fine 66s. 8d. [see also court held 6 May 1555 – 2 items.]

Robt. Vescy and Agnes, his wife, surrendered per John Kirkby and Wm. Tyson the reversion of $\frac{1}{2}$ an oxgang of land in Acome in the tenure of John Granger and Eliz., his wife, to the use of John Granger after his wife's death. Fine 10s.

Joan Tyson, wife of Wm. Tison, surrendered in her last illness per Thos. Westrawe and John Burdeux a cottage with garden and $1\frac{1}{2}$ a. of land in Holgate to the use of Wm. Tyson, her husband, for life, remainder to Joan Tyson, their elder daughter, and the heirs of her body lawfully begotten, remainder to Phillippa Tyson, their

younger daughter, and the heirs of her body lawfully begotten, remainder to Wm. Tyson, her husband. Fine 10s.

[Presentments.]

Thos. Westrawe and Wm. Vescy for tethering their horses in the *Wynter corne fields* contrary to the penalty imposed at the last Court each 2s. 0d.

Wm. Thwayte, esq., a free tenant, died since the last court seised of a messuage, a cottage and 4 oxgangs of land in Acome. The jurors did not know by what service he held them. Thos. Thwayte, esq. was his cousin and nearest heir and was of age. The bailiff to distrain Thos. before the next court and the jurors to make further enquiries.

Penalties.

The inhabitants of Acome and Holgate not to leave their dead pigs lying on the ground but to bury them within an hour 10s. 0d.

They were to ring their swine before Sunday next
each pig 4d.

They were each to scour their common water sewer before All Saints' Day [Nov. 1] 3s. 4d.

They were to repair their fences against the *Cornfeilds* before All Saints' Day 3s. 4d.

Any tenant of Holgate whose pigs were found in the cornfield 4d.

Robt. Palyzar of Holgate to make an adequate causeway along the width of his garden and before his doorway before the feast of St. Martin in Winter [Nov. 11] 10s. 0d.

No one to take green wood or dry wood from the demesne of Acome Grange or the woods there without the lord's permission per load 4d.

Election of Officers. Constables, Robt. Spacy for Acome, Robt. Day for Holgate. Ale tasters, Thos. Rute and Robt. Gill for Acomb, Thos. Barnard for Holgate. Reeves, Fran. Gale, gent., for Acome and Roger Skadloke for Holgate.

The jurors were given until the next court to return their verdict in the plea of trespass between John Kirkby, plt. and John Gill, dft.
Total profit of this court – [blank].

Court with View of Frankpledge, Tuesday, 4 May, 3 & 4 Philip and Mary [1557].

Essoin. John Kirkby by Wm. Holgate.

Jury. Ric. Holgate, Robt. Newton, Roger Skadloke, Robt. Plowghman, John Gill, snr., Wm. Thakwray, Guy Cooke, Wm. Holgate, Robt. Spacy, John Burdeux, John Gill, Robt. Gill, Robt. Palezar, Robt. Jakson.

Complaint. Wm. Holgate against Robt. Johnson in a plea of trespass on the grounds that he had taken with force and arms a cart

of peas worth 20s. to the plt's loss of 30s. The dft. denied the charge and both he and the plt. put themselves on the homage. Afterwards it was put to arbitration.

Verdict. Ric. Stapleton, kt. (4d), Wm. Ingleby, kt. (6d), Wilfred Pynder (12d), free tenants, Wm. Watson, ald. (4d), Adam Gill (4d), and Wm. Husband (4d) tenants at will, owed suit of court and defaulted and were fined as stated.

Leo. Blithe for making an affray on the servant of Master Beisley 3s. 4d.

[blank] Parker, servant of [blank] Beisley for an affray on Thos. Roote 3s. 4d.

Robt. Buttrie and [blank] Randall, servant of Thos. Westrawe, for breaking the fold each 3s. 4d.

Philip Wright and Robt. Wright for entertaining strangers contrary to the penalty 10s. 0d.

Hy. Wynterburne for an assault and affray on Wm. Husband 3s. 4d.

Robt. Johnson (12d), Geo. Browne, snr. (4d), Robt. Plowghman (2d), Thos. Cootes (2d), Wm. Holgate (2d), John Cowper (2d), Roger Skadloke (2d), Robt. Bisshophthorp (12d), Thos. Cartar (12d), Thos. Westrawe (8d) and Robt. Husband (8d) for not keeping their swine out of the *cornfeilds*.

Wm. Dawson for not making his ditches 2s. 0d.

John Granger (6d), Wm. Skadloke (6d), Robt. Gill (2d) and Wm. Vessey (2d) for taking whins contrary to the penalty imposed.

Chris. Gill surrendered per Robt. Buttrey and Wm. Spynke the moiety of a messuage, a barn and 1 oxgang of land in Acome to the use of John Gill, his father, and the heirs of the said John. Fine 26s. 8d.

Roger Metcalf surrendered per the steward the following land:— 2 Brode Pynes, 1 a.; 2 Brode Little Half Acres, 1 a.; 2 Brode Melgates, $\frac{1}{2}$ a.; 2 Brode Mydefurth Lands, 1 a.; 2 Brode Hengyncliffs, 1 a.; in the Farrefeild of Acome between the lands of Peter Newarke, esq., and Robt. Palezar; 1 Narrowe Mylne Doores, 1 rood, between the lands of Peter Newarke and Roger Metcalf; and 3 Brode Overise, $1\frac{1}{2}$ a., between the lands of Peter Newarke and Robt. Plowghman; 1 Mylnestie, 1 r.; 2 Brode Ouse Acres, 2 a.; 2 Langelands Ends, 1 r.; 2 Pillitrane opposite the Mylnefeild, $\frac{1}{2}$ a.; 2 Narrowe Holgate Rods, 1 r.; in the Mylnefeild between the lands of Peter Newarke and Robt. Plowghman, 2 Narrowe Kirke Roods, $\frac{1}{2}$ a.; 1 Narrowe and 1 Brode Blakebitts, 3 r.; 2 Bitts next York Moor, 1 r.; in the Mylnefeild between the lands of Peter Newarke and Robt. Palezar, 2 Narrowe Bitts between the Syks and 1 Brode Half Acre, 1 a., between the lands of Robt. Plowghman and John Kirkby, also 2 Brode Colt Half Acres, 1 a.; 2 Brode Marrowes, 1 a.; 2 Narrowe Henthornes, 1 r.; 2 Narrow Beckebitts, 1 r.; 2 Narrowe Lostgoies, $\frac{1}{2}$ a.; 2 Brode Losstgoes, 1 a.; 2 Narrowe Boreldikes, 1 r.; 2 Narrowe Lands beneath the Biscihill, 2 r.; 2 Lamma Crofts, $\frac{1}{2}$ a.; 1 Brode and 1 Narrowe Rode, $\frac{1}{2}$ a.; in the Chapellfeild between the lands of Peter

Newarke and Robt. Palezar, and 2 Narrowe Colt Half Acres, 1 a.; between the lands of Peter Newarke and John Kirkby, 2 Wranglands, $\frac{1}{2}$ a., between lands of Peter Newarke and Robt. Plowghman, 3 Middle Barrels, $1\frac{1}{2}$ r., between the lands of Robt. Plowghman and John Kirkby, to the use of Peter Newarke, esq. Fine 20s.

Peter Newarke surrendered per the steward the following lands in Acome:— 1 Brode Pyne, $\frac{1}{2}$ a., in the Farrefeild between the lands of Ric. Holgate and John Kirkby; 2 Narrowe Pynes, $\frac{1}{2}$ a., between the lands of Robt. Plowghman and John Kirkby; 1 Brode Half Acre, $\frac{1}{2}$ a., between the lands of Ric. Holgate and Robt. Palezar; 2 Little Half Acres, $\frac{1}{2}$ a.; 1 Brode and 1 Narrowe Melgate, $\frac{1}{2}$ a., between lands of John Kirkby and Roger Metcalf; 1 Brode Mydefurthland, 1 a., between lands of Roger Metcalf and Robt. Palezar; 1 Narrowe Midfurthland, 1 a., between lands of John Kirkby and Robt. Palezar; 1 Brode Skorebutt and 1 Narrowe Skorebutt, 3 r.; 1 Little Half Acre, 1 r., between the land of Roger Metcalf and the Carre; 1 Narrowe Mylnedowre, 1 r., between lands of Peter Newarke and Roger Metcalf; 1 Brode Overise and 3 Narrowes, $1\frac{1}{2}$ a., between lands of Robt. Plowghman and John Kirkby; 1 Narrowe Overise between lands of Robt. Gill and Fran. Gale, esq., also 1 Narrowe Mylnestie, 1 r., in the Mylnefeild between lands of Peter Newarke and John Kirkby; 2 Narrowe Ouse Acres, 1 a., between land of Roger Metcalf and John Kirkby; 1 Brode Ouse Acre, 1 a., between land of Peter Newarke and Robt. Newton; 2 Langeland Ends, 1 r., between lands of John Kirkby and Robt. Plowghman; 1 Brode Bitmelsikes and 3 Narrowes, $\frac{1}{2}$ a. $\frac{1}{2}$ r., between land of Robt. Palezar and the Carre; 1 Brode Kirke Rode, $\frac{1}{2}$ a., between land of Robt. Plowghman and Ric. Holgate; 1 Brode Pillitrayne, 1 r., between land of Ric. Holgate and John Kirkby; 1 Brode or Holgate Rode, 1 r., between lands of Robt. Palezar and Robt. Plowghman; 2 Narrowe Blakepitts, $\frac{1}{2}$ a., between lands of Robt. Plowghman and John Kirkby; 2 Narrowe Blakebitts, 1 r., between lands of Peter Newarke and Roger Metcalf; 1 Brode Bitt and 1 Narrowe, $1\frac{1}{2}$ r., against Holgate Moor near Hobbe Okes, between lands of Roger Metcalf and the common water sewer; 1 Narrowe [Bitt], $\frac{1}{2}$ r., against York Moor, between land of Peter Newarke and Robt. Palezar; 1 Brode [Bitt], 1 r., against Yorke Moore, between lands of Roger Metcalf and Robt. Palezar; 1 Narrowe and 1 Brode Colt, 3 r., in the Chappellfeilds, between the land of Ric. Holgate and John Kirkby; 1 Narrowe Colt Half Acre, 1 r., between lands of Roger Metcalf and John Kirkby; 2 Brode Marres, 1 a., between lands of Roger Metcalf and Ric. Holgate; 1 Brode Marre, $\frac{1}{2}$ a., between land of Ric. Holgate and [blank]; 1 Brode Henthorne, 1 r., between land of John Kirkby and Robt. Palezar; 2 Beckbitts, 1 r., between lands of Ric. Holgate and John Kirkby; 2 Narrowe Lossegoies, $\frac{1}{2}$ a., between land of Robt. Palezar and John Kirkby; 1 Brode Lossegoies and 1 Narrowe, 3 r., between land of Roger Metcalf and Robt. Palezar; 1 Narrowe Lossegoies, 1 r., between land of Peter Newarke and John Kirkby; 1 Brode Wrangland, [blank], between lands of Robt. Plowghman and Ric.

Holgate; 3 Myddlebarrels, $1\frac{1}{2}$ r., between lands of Roger Metcalf and Burran Inge; 2 Barreldiks, 1 r., between land of Robt. Palezar and Ric. Holgate; 1 Brode Land behind Biscihill, $\frac{1}{2}$ a., between land of Robt. Palezar and John Kirkby; 2 Brode Land Crofts, $\frac{1}{2}$ a., and 1 Narrowe, $\frac{1}{2}$ r., between land of John Kirkby and Robt. Palezar; to the use of Roger Metcalf, gent. Fine 20s.

Ric. Jakson had died since the last court seised of a cottage in Clifton and Guy Jakson was his heir and of age. Fine 4s.

John Granger surrendered per Ric. Holgate and Robt. Spacy the reversion, after the death of his wife, of $\frac{1}{2}$ oxgang of land in Acome to the use of Wm. Notyngham of Hessay. Fine 10s.

The lord granted to John Gill, for 21 years, an oxgang of land in Acome lately in the occupation of Robt. Newton. Fine 13s. 4d.

The lord granted to Thos. Kirkby, for 3 years, an oxgang of land in Holgate lately in the tenure of Robt. Newarke, and so for 3 yrs to 3 yrs for 21 yrs. Fine 13s. 4d.

The lord granted to Geo. Gill a messuage called *White Hows* with a barn and garden in Holgate for 12 yrs at 17s. 8d. p.a. rent. Geo. Gill to repair the premises as necessary. Fine 6s. 8d.

Penalties.

Wm. Notyngham not to encroach on the lord's Lodge Headland but to allow it to continue as usual. . .	3s.	4d.
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Thos. Shipton and his tenants to add as much of the Kirkebawke as was customary and likewise of the <i>gare</i> ¹ of the Hobbe Okes to the common balk . . .	3s.	4d.
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All tenants of Acome and Holgate to repair their fences between their land and their neighbours before Whit Sunday . . .	12d.
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Wm. Thakwray, Robt. Plowghman, Roger Skadloke and Thos. Vessey to supervise them and secure all the fines . . .	3s.	4d.
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No inhabitants of Acome or Holgate to gather grain in the fields before everyone had taken their sheaves into their barns, nor give sheaves in the field . . .	4d.
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Geo. Skadloke, common pinder, not to allow anyone to collect corn in the fields until all sheaves were carried away . . .	8d.
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Robt. Johnson's wife not to scold with anyone . . .	3s.	4d.
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No inhabitant of Acome or Holgate to tether their horses or cattle at night in the <i>Wynter cornefeilds</i> and the <i>Peseifeild</i> . . .	12d.
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Leo. Blithe to depart from the Lordship before Whit Sunday . . .	6s.	8d.
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All tenants of Acome to scour the Gaile Well and common well as necessary . . .	12d.
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No tenant to make his headland broader than others of the same Flatt unless once round the head . . .	6s.	8d.
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All the old penalties to remain in full force.

¹ Wedge-shape left after ploughing strips – Wright.

Complaints.

Robt. Hill against Robt. Johnson in a plea of trespass on the grounds that he had taken a cart of peas worth 20s. at Acome to the plt's loss of 30s. The dft. denied the charge and both he and the plt. put themselves on the homage. The homage said the dft. was guilty and assessed damages at a measure of peas worth 2s.

John Granger against Miles Thomlynson in a plea of debt on demand of 14s. The dft. did not appear.

Court with View of Frankpledge, Monday, 19 Oct. 3 & 4 Philip and Mary [1556].

Jury. Peter Newarke, esq., Ric. Holgate, gent., Robt. Newton, Wm. Shercroft, Robt. Spacy, John Burdeux, Wm. Spynke, Thos. Palezar, Wm. Tysone, John Gill, John Kirkby, Roger Skadloke, John Granger.

Complaints.

Thos. Westrawe against Thos. Cartar in a plea of debt on demand of $\frac{1}{2}$ quarter of malt worth 7s. 8d. to his loss of 13s. 4d. The dft. denied the debt and put himself on the homage who said that he owed it.

Robt. Bolton against Thos. Furth in a plea of deception. The dft. denied the charge and put himself on the homage who said he was guilty and assessed the damages at 8d.

Robt. Hill against Robt. Johnson in a plea of trespass on the grounds that he had taken and destroyed 2 carts of straw to his loss of 6s. 8d. The dft. denied the charge and put himself on the jurors who said he was guilty and assessed damages at 16d.

Presentments.

Thos. Tankard, labr., for drawing blood of Thos.

Husband	..	..	..	..	6s.	8d.
Robt. Palezar for breaking the pinfold	..	..	..	..	8d.	
Robt. Husbands for breaking the bye-laws	..	..	..	..	8d.	

Verdict. Ric. Stapleton, kt. (12d), Wm. Ingleby, kt. (12d), John Foster (4d), and Wilfred Pyndar (20d), free tenants, Wm. Watson, ald. (4d), Robt. Pacocke, ald. (4d), tenants at will, owed suit of court but defaulted. They were fined as stated.

Thos. Beane surrendered a cottage and 1 a. of land, $\frac{1}{2}$ a. at Hobbe Oks and $\frac{1}{2}$ a. next to Whitcrosse Side in Acome, to the use of Wm. Thakwray. Fine 6s. 8d.

Robt. Burdeux, clerk, surrendered per John Kirkby and Wm. Tysone $\frac{1}{2}$ an oxgang of land in Acome to the use of John Burdeux. Fine 5s.

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John Granger surrendered per Ric. Holgate and Robt. Spacy a cottage, a garden called *Jeilson Garth* and 1 Lee in the West Yngs,

$\frac{1}{2}$ r. of the Lodge Lez and $\frac{1}{2}$ r. of the Mylne Sties in Acome to the use of Wm. Notyngham. Fine 10s.

Thos. Westrawe surrendered per Ric. Holgate and Robt. Newton a cottage with an adjoining garden in Acome to the use of John Burdeux. Fine 3s.

Penalties.

No stranger living outside the lordship to have pasturage in the common fields . . . for each beast 6s. 8d.

Inhabitants of Acome to scour their common water sewers before All Saints' Day [Nov. 1] . . . 3s. 4d.

No inhabitants of Acome to use any way across sown land . . . 3s. 4d.

All inhabitants of Acome and Holgate to ring their pigs before All Saints' Day . . . each pig unrun 4d.

Ric. Holgate, John Gill, Wm. Thakwray and Robt. Spacy to supervise the same . . . each 3s. 4d.

Geo. Browne's wife and Ric. Arthur's wife not to scold with their neighbours . . . 3s. 4d.

No inhabitant of Acome to keep any stranger except with the consent of the bailiff or his deputy and the constable . . . 10s. 0d.

Joan Wrightson to remove her two sons and not allow them to sleep in her house, except once only in each quarter of a year . . . 10s. 0d.

Each inhabitant of Holgate to repair his part of the new ditch around the Lawefield and the Mayne Yng before the feast of the Annunciation [Mar. 25] . . . 3s. 4d.

All inhabitants of Holgate to keep their pigs out of the Cornefeilds . . . 4d.

Robt. Palezar of Holgate to repair the pales between his land and Wm. Tysone's before the feast of St. Martin in Winter [Nov. 11] and scour the adjacent water sewer . . . 3s. 4d.

No inhabitant of Holgate to cut any *whynnes* except at his ditches . . . 12d.

Election of Officers. For Acome, Geo. Skadloke, common pinder, Roger Metcalf, collector of rents, Wm. Thakwray, constable, Robt. Bolton and John Cowper, ale tasters. For Holgate, Robt. Husband, constable, Guy Cooke, collector of rents.

Court with View of Frankpledge, Tuesday, 3 May 4 & 5 Philip and Mary [1558].

Essoins. Robt. Palezar by Thos. Palezar, Robt. Buttrie by John Kirkby, Wm. Tysone by Wm. Newarke, John Gill by Wm. Newarke, Wm. Notyngham by Robt. Skadlok.

Jurors. Ric. Holgate, John Gill, Thos. Palezar, Roger Skadloke, Robt. Spacy, John Kirkby, Wm. Thackwray, Guy Cooke, John Burdeux, Robt. Plowghman, Wm. Husband, Thos. Shipton, Ric. Read, Geo. Gill.

Complaint. Wm. Spynk against Peter Newarke, esq. in a plea of trespass [Marginal note 'li. lo.', i.e. 'licentia loqui', licence to confer, (until the next court)].

Presentments. John Granger (4d), Thos. Cootes (4d), John Robynson (4d), Wm. Skadlok (1d), Robt. Gill (1d) and Reginald Burdeux (1d) were fined for taking whins contrary to the penalty imposed at the last court.

Roger Browne for drawing blood of Thos. Birkett . . . 6s. 8d.

Verdict. Ric. Stapleton, kt. (4d), Wm. Ingleby, kt. (4d), the heirs of Wilfred Pynday (4d), John Forstar (4d), free tenants, Wm. Shercroft, John Skadloke and Robt. Gill, customary tenants, owed suit of court but defaulted.

Wm. Shercroft and Matilda, his wife, surrendered per Robt. Spacy and Robt. Plowghman, in the presence of Wm. Newarke, bailiff, 1 oxgang of land in Acome between lands of Peter Newarke, esq., in the occupation of Thos. Vescy, to the use of Peter Newarke. Fine 10s.

Wm. Shercroft and Matilda, his wife, also surrendered a messuage with a barn and 1 oxgang of land called the *Narrowe Oxgang* in Acome, in the occupation of Thos. Vescy, to the use of Geo. Swale. Fine 20s.

Wm. Shercroft and Matilda, his wife, also surrendered 1 oxgang of land in Acome, in the occupation of Thos. Vescy, to the use of the said Thos. Fine 10s.

Wm. Holgate surrendered a messuage and 2 oxgangs of land in Acome to the use of Wm. Skadlok and Isabel, his wife, for 21 yrs from the feast of St. Martin the Bishop in Winter next [Nov. 11]. They were to pay him 20s. p.a. rent, maintain the premises with straw and mortar and do all other repairs except to the main timbers. Fine 10s. [Marginal note:]— R[ecieved] 10s. *myselffe*.

Robt. Newton surrendered per Robt. Spacy and Robt. Gill a cottage with a toft, 1 a. of land and 1 oxgang of land called a *Narrowe Oxgang* in Acome, in the occupation of Wm. Skadlok, to the use of Wm. Thakwray for 21 yrs from the feast of St. Martin the Bishop in Winter. The latter to repair the premises with straw and mortar and make all other repairs except to the main timbers. Fine 6s. 8d.

Wm. Thakwray, who held a messuage and 3 oxgangs of land in Acome for 9 yrs not yet expired, surrendered the premises to the use of Geo. Marshall from the feast of St. Martin the Bishop in Winter next for the remainder of the said term. Fine 3s. 4d.

Penalties.

Wm. Tyson to send away Thos. Cartar and Marion, his wife, from the lordship before the feast of St. Martin [Nov. 11] because she was an ill-disposed person . . . 40s. 0d.

The ale tasters to perform their duties diligently in all matters 12d.

It was ordered by the lord and the court that all measures and weights should be tried and sealed with the standards provided and kept at the common cost of the

lordship before the feast of the Nativity of St. John the Baptist next [June 24] penalty for the township ..	5s.	0d.
No brewers to sell by measures which were not sealed	3s.	4d.
No farmer to have more than 2 cart-loads of turves from the common and no cottager more than 1 load per load	2s.	0d.
No one to take green wood from the common per load		2d.
Every inhabitant of Acome and Holgate to make adequate fences between his land and his neighbours before Whit Sunday		12d.
Robt. Johnson to make a sufficient fence between his land and Hall Garth before Whit Sunday	3s.	4d.
The jurors, 8 or 6 of them at least, to view and determine the boundaries of certain strips of land on Hobbe Oakes before Whit Sunday. Thos. Shipton to attend them when convenient.		
A stray sheep with a lamb entered the lordship and remained for a year and a day, and proclamation was made etc. The bailiff was therefore ordered to seize them.		
Assessments made by the homage. Total profits of this court, £3 14s. 3d.		

Court with View of Frankpledge, Thursday, 7 Oct. 4 & 5 Philip and Mary [1557].

Essoins. Wm. Spynke by Robt. Buttry, Robt. Jackson by Thos. Vessey, John Richardson by Geo. Browne.

Jury. Roger Metcalf, John Gill, John Kirkby, John Burdeux, Wm. Thakwray, Wm. Tysone, Robt. Buttry, Wm. Holgate, Robt. Plowghman, Thos. Palezar, Robt. Spacy, Roger Skadlok, Ric. Reade.

Complaint. Wm. Mote against Leo. Blithe in a plea of debt on demand of 5s. The dft. denied the debt and put himself on the homage. The plt. did likewise. The plea was respited until the next court.

Verdict. Wilfred Pyndar (2s), John Forster (4d), free tenants, Wm. Watson, ald. (no fine stated), Eliz. Place, widow, (4d), Wm. Husband (4d), and Peter Skadlok (4d), tenants, owed suit of court but defaulted and were fined as abovesaid.

Presentments.

The Master of St. Thomas's Hospital without Miklithbarre [Micklegate Bar] and Edw. Sandwith, customary tenants, each paid 4d. fine for suit of court, payable annually at Easter.

John Granger for allowing unlawful games to be played frequently in his houses 3s. 4d.

The wives of John Granger and Thos. Cotes and Mrs. Robynson, common brewers, for not submitting their new ale to the ale tasters each 8d.

Thos. Shipton, the wife of John Nelson, Robt. Johnson and Robt. Hill for not making their garden fences each 12d.

Wm. Skadlok for breaking the pinfold for 4 horses impounded for trespass in John Gill's corn at Knapton Cross 20d.

Geo. Browne, snr., and Ric. Firth for taking whins contrary to the penalty each 4d.

Wm. Thakwray, Robt. Plowghman, Roger Skadlok and Thos. Vessye had fixed the boundaries, as ordered, to the Lodge Headland and one strip at the Kirk Roods Balke but they were completely ignorant concerning the strips at Hobbe Okes. The Kirkhows Headland remained wider than it ought and was not bounded by them.

John Gill surrendered per Robt. Spacy and Wm. Thakwray an oxgang of land in Acome to the use of Robt. Hill for 21 yrs. at 6s. 8d. p.a. rent. Fine 4s. (remitted).

The lord granted to Robt. Hill the oxgang of land surrendered to him for 21 yrs. by John Gill and lately seised by the lord as escheat. Fine 10s.

Penalties.

Every inhabitant of Acome and Holgate to ring his swine before the following Sunday. Penalty 4d. per animal, equally divided between the lord and the byelawmen.

The byelawmen to view the ringing of pigs each per month 2s. 0d.

The inhabitants of Acome and Holgate all to scour their water sewers before All Saints' Day [Nov. 1] each 3s. 4d.

Wm. Skadloke and Robt. Hill to keep their gates into the Cornfielde closed between All Saints' day and the feast of St. Peter ad Vincula [Aug. 1] 3s. 4d.

Wm. Thakwray to remove the pales for the space of $\frac{3}{4}$ ell¹ from his wall before Christmas 3s. 4d.1

Robt. Johnson not to commit petty larceny in taking sheaves of hay etc., under penalty of immediate expulsion from the lordship.

Wm. Notyngham had recently built 2 dwellings where there used to be only one. He was to restore the other to a barn as it formerly was before the feast of St. Andrew [Nov. 30] 40s. 0d.

The inhabitants of the south side of Holgate to make a footpath in front of each of their houses before the feast of St. Martin [Nov. 11] 3s. 4d.

No one to take whins or wood from the Braken Hills per burden 4d.

No headland should be broader than the next except once round 3s. 4d.

Likewise no one was to encroach on another .. 3s. 4d.

¹ 1 ell = 45 ins.

Election of Officers. Collectors of the lord's rents, Robt. Spacy for Acome, Ric. Read for Holgate. Constables, Robt. Knaggs, for Acome, John Burdeux for Holgate. Ale tasters, Geo. Swale and Thos. Taylor.

Total profits of this court [blank].

Court with View of Frankpledge, 17 Oct. 5 & 6 Philip and Mary [1558].

Essoins. Peter Newarke by Robt. Newarke, Wm. Spynke by Robt. Knaggs, Robt. Buttrie by Robt. Knaggs, John Richardson by Ric. Holgate, Thos. Palezar by Robt. Plowghman, Robt. Jakson by Thos. Vescy, Ric. Read by John Gill [*sic*], John Gill [*sic*] by John Hill.

Jury. Ric. Holgate, gent., Roger Skadlok, Robt. Plowghman, Wm. Thakwray, Robt. Gill, Geo. Swale, John Gill, Thos. Vescy, John Burdeux, Geo. Gill, John Skadlock, John Kirkby, Wm. Tyson.

Complaint. Wm. Thakwray against Wm. Jakson in a plea of debt on demand of 5s. The dft. denied the charge and put himself on the homage, the plt. did likewise. The jurors said the dft. did not owe the money and the plt. was therefore fined etc.

Verdict. Ric. Stapleton, kt., Robt. Newton, gent., Wm. Ingleby, kt., free tenants, and Wm. Watson, ald., Robt. Palezar and Guy Cooke, customary tenants, owed suit of court but defaulted. Fined 4d. each. Total 2s.

Presentments.

Thos. Cotes for drawing blood of Robt. Johnson	..	6s.	8d.
Robt. Johnson for an affray on Thos. Cotes	..	3s.	4d.

[Marginal note:— 'Drawing blood, 10s.']

John Warde for selling <i>wands</i> ¹ taken unlawfully from the woods of Fran. Gale, esq.	12d.
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Robt. Buttrie for an affray on Thos. Vescy	..	3s.	4d.
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The Bailiff was ordered to summon Robt. Buttrie to the next court to show what right he had to take hay lying on the banks called *Clifton Acres* in the lordship of Acome, which the pinder customarily had.

John Warde for receiving a cart-load of turves more than he ought	2s.	0d.
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Robt. Palezar (4d), Robt. Husband (4d), Thos. Cartar (12d), Thos. Westrawe (6d), John Burdeux (2d) and Geo. Gill (2d) for letting their pigs go in the Cornfeilds.

Wm. Husband surrendered per John Gill and Roger Skadlok a cottage, barn and 2 gardens in Acome to the use of Margaret Jakson, wife of Wm. Jakson, for 21 yrs. after the death of the said Wm. If she died within the term the lease to be void.

Election of Officers. Constables, Robt. Gill for Acome, Geo. Gill for Holgate. Beadles, John Burdeux and Wm. Burdeux for

¹ Twigs.

Acome. Robt. Pacock, ald. for Holgate. Robt. Knaggs and John Gelderd, ale tasters for Acome.

Total profits of this court . . . [blank].

Court with View of Frankpledge 17 April 9 Elizabeth [1567].

Jury. Peter Newark, esq., Roger Skadlok, Robt. Spacy, Geo. Marshall, John Burdeux, John Gill, Robt. Plowghman, Robt. Gill, Robt. Hill, John Granger, Adam Gill, Thos. Vessey, John Kirkby.

Complaints.

Thos. Gibson, baker, against Thos. Rutt of Acome, weaver, in a plea of debt on demand of 8s. The dft. could not deny his debt. Damages awarded.

Roger Skadlock against Joan Granger in a plea of debt on demand of 6s. 4d. for his salary. The dft. could not deny the debt. Therefore etc.

Verdict. Ric. Stapleton, kt. (4d), John Forster (respited), John Weddell (8d), Wm. Thakwraye (respited) and John Thakwraye (8d) owed suit of Court but defaulted and were fined as stated.

Presentments.

Robt. Allanby alias Holgate for removing certain Merestones contrary to the ordinance 10s. 0d.

Wm. Tankard for not scouring a water sewer against the Little Marr in Holgate, contrary to the penalty imposed at the last court 2s. 0d.

Wm. Holgate for not making an entrance to the Oxcroft 20d.

Lancelot Swale surrendered per Robt. Gill and John Spynk, to the use of John Atkinson, 1 oxgang of land in Acome lately in the tenure of Robt. Gill. Fine 13s. 4d.

Peter Skadloke surrendered per Peter Newarke in the presence of Geo. Marshall 1 a. of land in Holgate lying in a Flat called *Langlands*, now in the tenure of Robt. Plowghman, to the use of the said Robt. Fine 2s.

Thos. Vessey surrendered per Robt. Gill in the presence of Geo. Gill 1 a. of land called *Ouse Acre* in Acome Feilds to the use of Peter Gill. Fine 2s.

Penalties.

No one to cut any whins between the far end of the Gravill Hills and the Dyke Hyrne Closse Nooke.

Penalty per cart load 10s., per burden 12d.

The inhabitants of Acome to scour the common wells, one at the E. end of the town, the other at the W. end, before Whit Sunday and then to keep them well scoured. Adam Gill to be viewer at the W. end and Wm. Jackson at the E. end every default 4d.

John Robynson and Robt. Johnson to make a causeway in front of their doors before the feast of St. John the Baptist [24 June] 3s. 4d.

Robt. Bisshop to remove a *reade hawkt oxe* which was unlawful before the feast of St. Peter and St. Paul [29 June] 10s. 0d.

Robt. Bisshop and his wife not to scold with their neighbours 13s. 4d.

Court with View of Frankpledge 13 Oct. 9 Elizabeth [1567].

Jury. Ric. Holgate, gent., Geo. Marshall, John Granger, Roger Skadlok, Robt. Spacy, Robt. Plowghman, John Gill, Robt. Notyng-ham, John Burdeux, Geo. Gill, Robt. Hill, Thos. Vessey, John Kirkby, Lancelot Swale.

Complaints. Wm. Tankard against John Granger in a plea of debt on demand for 19s. for sheep sold to him. The dft. denied the debt and put himself on the homage. They determined that he owed the 19s. and assessed damages at 6d. and the court's costs at 2d.

John Carok against Wm. Tankard because his mare *occupied*¹ contrary to his wish to his loss of 10s. The dft. denied the charge and put himself on the homage. They found him guilty and assessed damages at 16d. and the court's costs at 4d.

Verdict. Ric. Stapleton, kt., John Weddell and Wm. Thakwray owed suit of court but defaulted. They were each fined 8d. Thos. Sandwith, Thos. Palezar, Robt. Jakson, John Gill, Jun. of Hashawe fined for their suit of court 4d. each.

Presentments.

Geo. Gill for an affray and drawing blood of Thos.

Coates 10s. 0d.

Thos. Coates for drawing blood of Geo. Gill .. 6s. 8d.

Peter Skadlock for breaking the common pound and taking away a mare impounded there 3s. 4d.

John Spynke surrendered per Peter Newark in the presence of Geo. Marshall a messuage, garden, barn, croft and 3 oxgangs of land with appurtenances in Acome to the use of Wm. Hill. Fine 40s.

Thos. Shipton surrendered per Ric. Holgate in the presence of Roger Skadlok 2 cottages, 1 built and 1 waste, with a garden and barn in Acome, in the tenure of the said Thos., a cottage and garden in the tenure of Robt. Holgate, 1 oxgang of land in the tenure of Thos. Shipton and also 4 Carrgats and 17 lands and a small close called *Stamis Closse* in Acome to the use of Eliz. Shipton, his wife. Fine 30s.

Robt. Hill surrendered per John Gill in the presence of Robt. Spacy 3½ roods of land, viz. ½ r. called the *Bitt next the Howe*, 1 Bitt, ½ r., next the road, 1 Kirke Rode, 1 Lamy Croft Rode, and 1 Narowe Henthorne, ½ r., in Acome to the use of John Granger. Fine 3s. 4d.

Robt. Hill also surrendered per John Granger and Thos. Vessey 1 a. of land, viz. 1 Usburne Howe, ½ a.; 1 Long Rode abutting on the

¹ Had sexual intercourse.

Carresyde, 1 Skoole Brede, $\frac{1}{2}$ r. and 1 Knapton Gate Bitt, $\frac{1}{2}$ r., in Acome to the use of Wm. Vessey. Fine 4s.

Wm. Comyn and Eliz., his wife, widow of Ric. Read, surrendered per Roger Skadlok and Thos. Vessey a messuage, barn and garden and $1\frac{1}{2}$ oxgangs of land in Holgate, lately in the occupation of Robt. Knagg, to the use of John Carok and Robt. Carok for 12 yrs. from the feast of St. Martin in Winter next [Nov. 11]. Fine 15s.

Thos. Vessey surrendered in court 1 a. of land, viz. 1 Kirk Rode, 1 r. on the Melgate, 1 Wrangland, 1 r., and a Weatland, 1 r., in Acome to the use of Wm. Tanckard. Fine 4s.

Penalties.

Geo. Gill of Acome not to scold or quarrel with his neighbours	5s. 0d.
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Each inhabitant of a messuage in Acome to take 60 bundles of whins from Acome More and each cottager 30 bundles and no more	10s. 0d.
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None to take any burdens of whins from the common		
	per burden	12d.

All inhabitants of Acome and Holgate to scour their watercourses before All Saints' Day [Nov. 1]	..	2s. 0d.
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They were to make adequate fences between their land and their neighbours' before the feast of St. Martin in Winter [Nov. 11]	12d.
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No one to take whins from Holgate Moor	..	4d.
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All inhabitants of Acome and Holgate were to ring their swine before All Saints' Day	4d.
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John Granger, Robt. Bolton, Robt. Ploughman and Lancelot Swale to view the ringing of pigs, making of fences and scouring of water sewers in Acome, and John Burdeux and Wm. Beane in Holgate	4d.
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John Gill and Robt. Spacy to view the whins	..	3s. 4d.
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Election of Officers. Constables, Robt. Ploughman for Acome, Robt. Holgate for Holgate. Reeves, Robt. Spacy for Acome, John Carok for Holgate. Ale tasters, Robt. Bolton and Adam Gill for Acome, Robt. Knaggs for Holgate.

Total profits for this court, £6 3s. 0d.

Court with View of Frankpledge 26 April 10 Eliz. [1568].

Jurors. Peter Newark, esq., Geo. Marshall, Wm. Holgate, Robt. Spacy, Lancelot Swale, Robt. Hill, Wm. Hill, Roger Skadlok, Adam Gill, Robt. Ploughman, Thos. Vessey, John Burdeux, Geo. Skadlock, John Kirkby, Peter Skadlock.

Complaints.

John Granger against Geo. Gill, jnr., in a plea of debt on demand of 26s. 8d. The dft. denied the debt. The jurors said he owed the plt. the said sum and assessed damages at 6d. and the court's costs at 10d.

John Granger against Wm. Tanckard in a plea of debt on demand of 1 sheep called a *weather* worth 6s.

Wm. Hill against Lancelot Swale in a plea of trespass for cutting down his wood causing a loss of 5s. The dft. denied his guilt and put himself on the homage. They sought time until the next court and it was granted.

Robt. Gill against John Rawson in a plea of debt on demand of 3s. 2d. The dft. could not deny that he owed 2s. 6d. but said he did not owe the remainder. The parties reached agreement.

John Kirkby, son and heir of Wm. Kirkby, against John Granger and Eliz., his wife, in a plea of land, viz. concerning a messuage and 1 a. of land in Acome within the jurisdiction of this court. He made protestation to pursue the complaint by writ of Formedon in the Descender at common law,¹ and sought that proceedings be taken against the said John Granger and Eliz. according to the custom of the manor against the next court. They were therefore summoned etc.

Verdict. Ric. Stapleton, kt. (12d), Wm. Ingleby, kt. (12d), John Weddell (2s) and Wm. Watson, ald. (4d) owed suit of court but defaulted and were fined as stated.

Presentments.

Jas. Geldart of York, butcher, tenant of Ric. Holgate, gent., in Holgate did not make his fence between his land and that of Geo. Gill 12d.

Robt. Bisshop for taking whins from Holgate Moor 4d.

Lancelot Swale and Eliz., his wife, surrendered per Robt. Hill and Robt. Gill a messuage, barn and 1 oxgang of land in Acome to the use of John Atkynson for 9 yrs. from the feast of St. Martin in Winter [Nov. 11] at a rent of 15s. 4d. p.a. Fine 6s. 8d.

Lancelot Swale and Eliz., his wife, surrendered per Robt. Spacy and Robt. Gill a small barn and garden in Acome with free entry and exit through another garden in the tenure of Thos. Vessey to the use of John Kirkby, jnr., for 21 yrs. from the feast of the Nativity of St. John the Baptist [June 24] at a rent of 8d. p.a. towards the repair of the premises.

Robt. Pacock, ald. of York, surrendered per Peter Newark, esq., Geo. Marshall and John Burdeux a messuage and 2 oxgangs of land and meadow with appurtenances in Holgate, now in the tenure of Robt. Bisshop, and also 2 cottages and 3 acres of land in Holgate in the several tenures of Valerie Darcy and John Nixson, to the use of Wm. Robinson, merchant. Fine 53s. 4d.

¹ Formedon (Lat. Breve de forma donationis) was a writ in the nature of a 'writ of right' granted to persons claiming by virtue of any entail under the Statute of Westminster the Second (13 Edw 1, C. 1.)

It was of three kinds:—

- (a) Formedon in the descender
- (b) Formedon in the remainder
- (c) Formedon in the reverter

Abolished by 3 & 4 Will. 4, C.27, S.36. Mosley & Whiteley's *Law Dictionary*, 1950.

Robt. Hill surrendered per Peter Newark, esq., and Geo. Marshall 2 half roods of land in Acome, viz, $\frac{1}{2}$ r. called *Barrel of Dyke*, next to John Granger's land, and $\frac{1}{2}$ r. in the Greate Land Nooke also next to John Granger's land to the use of Thos. Rute. Fine 12d.

Bridget Skadlok, wife of Geo. Skadlok surrendered in her last illness, per John Burdeux and Peter Skadlock a messuage and 1 oxgang of land in Holgate and a ruined cottage with appurtenances next the Gale Well in Acome to the use of Geo. Skadlok for life, with remainder to Joan Skadlok, his daughter. Fine 13s. 4d. for the possession and 20s. for the reversion.

Robt. Spacy and Alice, his wife, surrendered per Roger Skadlok and Robt. Gill 3 a. of arable land in Acome, viz. $\frac{1}{2}$ a. on Appletree Stubbes, 1 r. on Melgaes next the Gallowehill, 3 r. called *Kirke Rodes*, 2 small Hungry Bitts, 1 r., 1 r. in Hobmoore, $\frac{1}{2}$ a. on Lamy Crofts, 1 r. on Langland Ends, $\frac{1}{2}$ r. beyond Bistie Hill and $\frac{1}{2}$ r. on Loskowe Calf, to the use of Adam Gill. Fine 12s.

Roger Metcalf, gent., surrendered per Robt. Spacy and Geo. Marshall a messuage with a toft and croft and 2 oxgangs of land in Acome, in the occupation of Lancelot Swale, to the use of the said Lancelot for 23 yrs. from the feast of St. Martin in Winter next [Nov. 11] at a rent of 22s. p.a. Fine 26s. 8d.

Thos. Vessey surrendered per Robt. Gill and Robt. Spacy $\frac{1}{2}$ a. of land in the Little Half Acre and $\frac{1}{2}$ a. in the Brade Marre to the use of Peter Gill. Fine 4s.

Whereas Robt. Carok and John Carok were joint tenants for a term of 12 yrs. still enduring, of a messuage, barn and garden and $1\frac{1}{2}$ oxgangs of land in Holgate, in the occupation of Robt. Knaggs, by the surrender of Robt. Commyn and Eliz., his wife, it is now presented that Robt. Carok had surrendered all his interest therein, per Roger Skadlok and Thos. Vessey, to the use of John Carok. Fine 5s.

Wm. Hill surrendered per Robt. Spacy and Roger Skadlok $\frac{1}{2}$ a. of land in the Hyngyng Clyf and $\frac{1}{2}$ a. on the Skorbutts to the use of Robt. Gill. Fine 4s.

Penalties.

Robt. Gill of Acome to keep his two mangy horses tethered, or separately on his own land	3s.	4d.
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Wm. Farebarne of Holgate to keep his one mangy horse likewise	3s.	4d.
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Every occupant of a messuage to have 2 cart loads of turves and every cottager 1 load from the moor and no more	3s.	4d.
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Geo. Marshall, Wm. Hill, Lancelot Swale and Thos. Vessey appointed viewers to ensure that all inhabitants should have turves delivered to them as aforesaid							
					each		12d.

All jurors to assemble at Acome Church on Tuesday in Whit Week at 2 p.m.	Penalty, each	12d.
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All penalties imposed at the last court concerning whins were to remain in force until the next court.

Total profits of this court, £7 16s. 8d.

Court with View of Frankpledge 14 Oct. 10 Eliz. [1568].

Jury. Peter Newark, esq., Wm. Holgate, Robt. Spacy, Lancelot Swale, Robt. Hill, Thos. Vessey, Roger Skadlok, John Burdeux, Robt. Ploughman, John Kirkby, Robt. Gill, John Gill, Adam Gill, Peter Skadlok, Geo. Skadlok.

Verdict. Ric. Stapleton, kt. (12d), Wm. Ingleby, kt. (12d) and John Weddell (4d) free tenants, owed suit of court but defaulted and were fined as stated. Total 2s. 4d. John Skadlock, Thos. Palezar, Robt. Jakson, Walter Gill and John Thakwray, tenants of the manor, were each fined 4d. for default of suit of court. Total 20d.

Presentments.

Wm. Wright of Rufforth for drawing blood of Hy.
Bynks at Holgate 6s. 8d.

Thos. Wright of Rufforth for drawing blood of John
Cogell at Holgate 6s. 8d.

John Cogell of Bikarton for drawing blood of Robt.
Holgate, constable of Holgate 6s. 8d.

Geo. Marshall for making an affray on Robt.
Ploughman at Acome 3s. 4d.


John Granger, occupant of a messuage in Acome, for
receiving one cart load of turves from the common more
than he ought 3s. 4d.

Robt. Johnson of Acome for giving certain turbaries¹
contrary to the custom of the town 6d.

Wm. Hill surrendered per John Gill and John Granger 1 a. of land
on the Kell Lands, 1 r. on Wetelands, $\frac{1}{2}$ r. on Loskof Calfs, $\frac{1}{2}$ r. on
the Henthornes, $\frac{1}{2}$ a. on Appletreestubbs, 1 r. on Kirke Roods, 1 r. on
Estlands Westlands, 1 r. on the Hungry Bitts, $\frac{1}{2}$ r. on Langlandends
and $\frac{1}{2}$ r. on the Bitt Over the Way in Acome to the use of Robt. Hill.
Fine 12s.

Wm. Robinson, merchant, surrendered per Peter Newark, esq.
and John Burdeux, a messuage, barn, garden and 2 oxgangs of land
in Holgate, lately in the tenure of Robt. Bissop, and also 2 cottages
and 3 a. of land in the occupations of Robt. Valery and John Nikson,
to the use of Robt. Ploughman and Robt. Gill for 21 yrs. from the
feast of St. Martin in Winter next [Nov. 11] at a rent of £4 p.a., they
to do all repairs except the main timbers. Fine 26s. 8d.

Wm. Tanckard surrendered per Roger Skadlok and Robt.
Ploughman 1 a. of arable land in Acome, viz. 1 r. on the Wetelands,
1 r. on the Wranglands, 1 r. in the Kirke Roods and 1 r. called
Melgate, to the use of Wm. Vessey. Fine 4s.

 ¹ Turbary – the right to go upon the soil of another and dig turf and carry off the same.

Ric. Thomlyn and Isabel, his wife, widow of Wm. Skadlock, surrendered per Peter Newark, esq. and Roger Skadlok a messuage, barn, garden and 1 oxgang of land in Acome for the remainder of a term of 21 yrs. still not expired, which Wm. Skadlock lately had by the surrender of Wm. Holgate, to the use of Robt. Hill. Fine 10s.

John Gill, Geo. Gill and Eliz., his wife, surrendered one Brode Milstie, $\frac{1}{2}$ acre, to the use of Wm. Hill. Fine 2s.

Wm. Hill surrendered 2 Eastlands Westlands, $\frac{1}{2}$ a., in Hobmoore Feild in Acome to the use of John Gill for life with remainder to the use of Geo. Gill and Eliz., his wife. Fine 12d. for possession and 2s. for the reversion.

Penalties.

John Thakwray, Wm. Tanckard, Robt. Ploughman and John Granger to fill in certain pits made by them at Newebrigge ends at the Larks Syke before All Saints' Day [Nov. 1] each 12d.

All inhabitants of Acome and Holgate to ring their swine before Sunday next .. each animal 4d.

John Gill and Robt. Hill to view the ringing of pigs before Monday next 12d.

All inhabitants of Acome and Holgate to scour their common water sewers before All Saints' Day 3s. 4d.

The inhabitants of the E. end of Acome to scour and fence round the well (*puteum*) there before All Saints' Day 6s. 8d.

Thos. Cotes to supervise the same 12d.

The inhabitants of the W. end of Acome likewise to scour and fence another bridge (*pontem*) there before the said feast 6s. 8d.

Robt. Johnson to supervise the scouring and fencing of the said well 12d.

All earlier and customary penalties to remain in force until the next court.

Election of Officers. Constables, Thos. Vessey for Acome, Geo. Skadlok for Holgate. Ale tasters, John Gill and Roger Skadlok for Acome, Geo. Gill for Holgate. Reeves, John Gill of Acome and Geo. Gill of Holgate for Acome, Wm. Robynson, merchant, for Holgate.

Total profits of this court, £4 8s. 10d.

Court with View of Frankpledge 19 April 11 Eliz. [1569].

Jury. Roger Metcalf, gent., Geo. Marshall, Robt. Spacy, Roger Skadlock, John Gill, Robt. Nottyngham, John Atkynson, Robt. Ploughman, Adam Gill, Wm. Hill, John Kirkby, Thos. Rutt, John Burdeux, Geo. Gill.

Verdict. Ric. Stapleton, kt. (8d), Wm. Ingleby, kt. (8d) and John Weddell (12d), free tenants, owed suit of court but defaulted and were therefore fined as stated.

Presentments.

Ric. Tomlyn and Mrs. Shipton for taking $\frac{1}{2}$ load of whins each from Acome Moore contrary to the penalty each 5s. 0d.

Robt. Johnson for taking 1 burden of whins from the said moore 12d.

Mrs. Granger and the wife of Robt. Hill, common brewers of ale, for breaking the assize .. each 12d.

Thos. Vessey, constable of Acome, for not calling the parishioners together in Easter week last to agree on the repair of the highways, contrary to the statute .. 6d.

Matilda Reade who held to herself and her heirs a messuage and $1\frac{1}{2}$ oxgangs of land in Holgate had died since the last court so seised and without such heirs. The property ought to remain to Thos. Vessey, cousin of Ric. Reade, and his heirs. Fine 40s.

Wm. Watson, ald. of the City of York, surrendered per Ric. Holgate, gent., and John Burdeux a messuage with a toft and croft and 2 oxgangs of land in Holgate to the use of Wm. Watson, merchant, his cousin. Fine 40s.

Peter Skadlok surrendered per Thos. Vessey and Geo. Skadlok 2 r. of land, viz. 1 r. on Steele Butts in Holgate Feild and the other on the N. side of the Twenty Peny Yng, to the use of Roger Skadlok, his father. Fine 2s.

Peter Skadlok also surrendered per Thos. Vessey and Geo. Skadlok, jnr. $\frac{1}{2}$ a. of land on the Garbridge in Holgate to the use of Geo. Skadlok, snr. Fine 2s.

Robt. Holgate, son of Ric. Holgate, deceased, did fealty and was admitted tenant.

Penalties.

Every inhabitant of a messuage to have 2 cart-loads of turves from Acome Moore and no more .. 3s. 4d.

Every cottager to have 1 load and no more .. 3s. 4d.

No one to dig up turves from the moor after the feast of St. Peter ad Vincula [1 Aug.] .. 3s. 4d.

No one to cut any whins from between the far end of Gravell Hills as far as Dicorne Close . . . 10s. for each load, 12d. per burden. No one to take *cassyngs*¹ from the Carre or any other field within Acome Lordship .. 4d.

Thos. Cotes to see that the common well at the E. end of Acome is adequately scoured 4 times each quarter of a year .. 12d.

Robt. Johnson to supervise the scouring of the well at the W. end .. 12d.

Robt. Ploughman and Robt. Hill to view the turves delivered .. 3s. 4d.

No inhabitant of Holgate to cut any whins on Holgate Moor .. 3s. 4d. per load and 12d. per burden

¹ Casons – dried cow dung used as fuel.

Robt. Holgate to take up his logs from his doorway before the feast of Philip and James next [1 May]	..	3s.	4d.
John Burdeux and Geo. Gill to see that he removed them	..	3s.	4d.
The wives of John Granger, Robt. Hill and Thos. Cotes to keep to the assize in selling ale	..	3s.	4d.

Court with View of Frankpledge 6 Oct. 11 Eliz [1569].

Jury. Peter Newark, esq., Guy Cooke, Wm. Holgate, Robt. Spacy, Geo. Marshall, John Burdeux, Robt. Hill, Roger Skadlok, Robt. Ploughman, Geo. Skadlok, Robt. Gill, John Atkynson, Wm. Hill, Wm. Vessey, Adam Gill, Robt. Jakson.

Complaints.

Geo. Gill, son and heir of John Gill, against Eliz. Shipton, widow, in a plea of land, viz. 4 a. of arable, and made protestation to pursue the complaint in the form of a writ of right. He sought that proceedings be taken against the tenant according to manorial custom. She was summoned to be at the next court.

Ric. Belby against Geo. Marshall in a plea of land, viz. 1 oxgang of land in Holgate, and against Wm. Holgate in a plea of land viz. a close of 2 a. in Acome, and made protestation to pursue the complaint in the form of a writ of Formedon¹ in the remainder. He sought that proceedings be taken against the said Geo. and Wm. according to the custom of the manor. Proceedings were made against the next court.

Simon Butterfelde against John Gill in a plea of debt on demand of 1 quarter of rye worth 20s. The dft. could not deny his debt, but said it was not worth so much.

Verdict. Ric. Stapleton, kt. (8d), Wm. Ingleby, kt. (8d), and John Weddell (8d) were free tenants and owed suit of court but defaulted and were fined as stated. John Skadlok, Thos. Palezar, Robt. Jakson, John Holgate, Walter Gill, and John Thakwray, tenants of the manor owed suit of court but defaulted and were fined 4d. each.

Presentments.

John Granger and Thos. Cotes, common brewers of ale in Acome, because their wives sold unwholesome ale

each 4d.

Wm. Holgate, the occupant of a messuage, for taking 2 loads of turves more than he ought from Acome Moore .. 3s. 4d.

Thos. Vessey surrendered per Robt. Spacy and Lancelot Swale 1 a. of land, viz. $\frac{1}{2}$ a. called the Gilderskar, 2 half roods called *Myddle Barrell* and *Barleydyke* and another 2 half roods called *Langland* and the Bit Over the Way in Acome to the use of Robt. Jakson. Fine 4s.

¹ See note, p. 25.

Peter Skadlok surrendered per Geo. Marshall and Robt. Ploughman $\frac{1}{2}$ a. called *Throp Lea* in Holgate field to the use of Robt. Johnson. Fine 2s.

Penalties.

Everyone to scour his water sewers in Acome and Holgate before All Saints' Day [Nov. 1]	.. ..	12d.
And to repair fences before the said day	.. ..	12d.
Wm. Hill and Robt. Bolton to view the water sewers and fences in Acome	.. ..	12d.
Geo. Skadlok, jnr. to view the water sewers and fences in Holgate	.. ..	12d.

Election of Officers. Constables, Roger Skadlok for Acome, John Burdeux for Holgate. Ale tasters, Wm. Hill and Wm. Vessey for Acome, Wm. Beane for Holgate. Reeves, Robt. Spacy for Acome, Wm. Watson for Holgate.

Total profits for this court, 14s.

Court with View of Frankpledge 4 April 12 Eliz. [1570].

Jury. Wm. Holgate, Geo. Marshall, Robt. Spacy, Roger Skadlok, Robt. Ploughman, John Granger, John Burdeux, Robt. Hill, Thos. Vessey, Wm. Hill, Geo. Gill, Robt. Holgate, John Atkynson, Robt. Nottingham, Lancelot Swale.

Complaints.

Wm. Savage against Geo. Hill in a plea of debt on demand of 31s. for the value of an ox. The dft. could not deny the debt.

Thos. Rutt against Geo. Skadlok in a plea of debt on demand of 5s. for salary arrears.

Verdict. Ric. Stapleton, kt. (12d), Wm. Ingleby, kt. (12d), John Weddell (12d), and John Carrok (8d) owed suit of court and defaulted and were fined as stated.

Presentment.

Geo. Gill of Acome for an affray and drawing blood of John Thakwray 10s. 0d.

Wm. Holgate and Margaret, his wife, surrendered a messuage and garden, 2 oxgangs of land and a barn in Acome and also Hempe Garth and $1\frac{1}{2}$ a. of land to the use of Peter Hudelesse for 19 yrs. from the feast of St. Martin in Winter next [Nov. 11] at a rent of 60s. p.a. Fine 26s. 8d.

[Marginal note: 2 oxgangs, $1\frac{1}{2}$ a. at the town's end of Acomb, rent £3.]

Thos. Vessey surrendered per Robt. Spacy and Robt. Gill 1 a. of land, $\frac{1}{2}$ a. called *Usburne Howe* and $\frac{1}{2}$ a. called *Hyngyngclif* in Acome to the use of John Kirkby, jnr. Fine 4s.

Penalties.

Every occupant of a messuage in Acome to have 2 cart loads of turves from Acome Moor and no more	..	3s. 4d.
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Every cottager to have only 1 load of turves	..	3s.	4d.
No one to dig any turves on the moor after the feast of St. Peter ad Vincula [1 Aug.]	3s.	4d.
No one to cut any whins from between the far end of Gravell Hills and Dycorne Close	.. .. .	
	per cart load 10s. and per burden		12d.
No one to take <i>cassyngs</i> ¹ from the Car or any other field	.. .. . per burden		4d.
Thos. Cootes to see that the common well for the E. end was scoured every quarter	.. .. .		12d.
Robt. Johnson to view the scouring of the well at the W. end	.. .. .		12d.
Every inhabitant to scour his water sewer before Whit Sunday	.. .. .	2s.	0d.
Election of Officers. Geo. Marshall constable for Acome.			
Total profits for this court, 44s. 4d.			

Court Baron 16 May 12 Eliz. [1570].

Free Tenants. Roger Newark, vicar of Acome, Ric. Stapleton, kt., Peter Newark, esq., John Ingleby, esq., Wm. Ingleby, kt., and John Weddell were free tenants and owed suit of court.

Tenants at Will. The Master of St. Thomas's Hospital without Miklythbarre, York, Wm. Watson, merchant, Peter Newark, esq., Roger Metcalf, gent., John Gill, Roger Skadlok, Adam Gill, John Kirkby, snr., Robt. Buttry, John Richardson, John Granger, John Burdeux, John Skadlok, Guy Cooke, Thos. Sandwith, Wm. Holgate, Robt. Ploughman, Eliz. Shipton, widow, Thos. Palazer, Ric. Thomlyn in the right of Isabel, his wife, Robt. Jakson, Robt. Spacy, Robt. Nottingham, Geo. Hill, Robt. Gill, Geo. Skadlok, snr., Thos. Vessey, Peter Skadlok, Robt. Hill, John Holgate, Thos. Cootes, Geo. Marshall, John Ingleby, esq., Wm. Newark, gent., Lancelot Swale, John Atkynson, Robt. Gale, esq., John Thakwray, Adam Skadlok, Eliz. Burdeux, widow, Peter Gill, Wm. Hill, John Carrok, Wm. Vessey, Wm. Robynson, merchant, Thos. Rutt, Robt. Johnson, Geo. Skadlok, jnr., Wm. Burdeux, Bridget Fairbarne, Hy. Ploughman, Wm. Ploughman, Thos. Cowper and John Kirkby, jnr., were tenants of the manor and owed suit of court.

Complaints. Thos. Rutt against Robt. Spacy in a plea of trespass to his loss of 13s. 4d. The dft. denied that he was guilty and both he and the plt. put themselves on the homage.

Thos. Rutt likewise against Robt. Spacy in a plea of trespass to his loss of 6s. 8d. The dft. denied he was guilty and both he and the dft. placed themselves on the homage.

Wm. Hill against Robt. Hill in a plea of trespass to his loss of 30s. The dft. denied that he was guilty and both he and the plt. placed themselves on the homage.

¹ See note, p. 29.

Thos. Webbe against Geo. Gill in a plea of debt on demand for 6s. 8d. The dft. could not deny that he owed 6s. but said he did not owe the remaining 8d. He placed himself on the homage, the dft. did likewise.

Thos. Lancastre against Robt. Holgate that he withheld a feather bed worth 26s. 8d. and a *buff skyn jerkin* worth 10s. The dft. denied the charge and both he and the plt. placed themselves on the homage.

Walter Gill surrendered per Thos. Vessey and Lancelot Swale a cottage, barn and garden and 1 oxgang of land in Acome to the use of Peter Newark, esq. Fine 26s. 8d.

The total is clear. [*Summa patet*, i.e. 26s. 8d].

Court Baron held 27 June 12 Eliz. [1570].

Free Tenants. [As listed above, p. 44.]

Tenants at Will. The Master of St. Thomas's Hospital without Miklythbarre, York, Peter Newark, esq., John Ingleby, esq., Robt. Gale, esq., Roger Metcalf, gent., Wm. Robynson, merchant, Wm. Watson, merchant, Guy Cooke, John Gill, Roger Skadlok, John Kirkby, snr., Robt. Buttry, John Richarson, John Granger, John Burdeux, John Skadlok, Thos. Sandwith, Wm. Holgate, Robt. Ploughman, Eliz. Shipton, widow, Thos. Palazer, Ric. Thomlyn in the right of his wife, Isabel, Robt. Jakson, Robt. Spacy, Robt. Nottingham, Robt. Gill, Geo. Gill, Geo. Skadlok, snr., Thos. Vessey, Peter Skadlok, Robt. Hill, John Holgate, Geo. Marshall, Wm. Newark, gent., Lancelot Swale, John Atkynson, John Thakwray, Adam Skadlok, Eliz. Burdeux, widow, Peter Gill, Wm. Hill, John Carrok, Wm. Vessey, Thos. Rutt, Robt. Johnson, Geo. Skadlok, jnr., Thos. Cootes, Wm. Burdeux, Bridget Fairbarne, Hy. Ploughman, Wm. Ploughman, Thos. Cowper and John Kirkby, jnr. were tenants of the manor and owed suit of court.

Robt. Jakson and Alice, his wife, surrendered to the use of Wm. Haxup, snr., and Wm. Haxup, his son, a messuage with a croft and 1 oxgang of land in Acome, lately in the occupation of Geo. Lorymar and now of Thos. Vessey, and also 1 a. of which $\frac{1}{2}$ a. called the *Gildarskar*, two $\frac{1}{2}$ r. called the *Middle Barrell* and *Barley Dike* and another two $\frac{1}{2}$ r. called *Langland Ends* and the *Bitt over the Way* in Acome. Fine 30s.

Adam Gill surrendered per Robt. Hill and Thos. Rutt, $\frac{1}{2}$ a. of land called an *Appletreestub* adjoining the land of Robt. Bolton in Acome to the use of Wm. Nabilson. Fine 2s.

Eliz. Shipton, widow, surrendered per Peter Newark, esq., and Wm. Holgate a cottage and another ruined cottage and $1\frac{1}{2}$ oxgangs of land in Acome to the use of herself for life with remainder to Ric. Shipton, snr. for life and after his death to Ric. Shipton, his son. Fine 26s. 8d.

Total profits of this court, 58s. 8d.

Court Baron 18 July 12 Eliz. [1570].

Free Tenants. [As listed above, p. 44.]

Tenants at Will. [As listed above, p. 45, except that the name of Wm. Newark, gent., appears earlier in the list, after Robt. Gale, esq.]

John Kirkby, son and heir of Alice Kirkby, late wife of Wm. Kirkby of York, bower, sought to be admitted as tenant of a messuage, garden, barn and $\frac{1}{2}$ a. of land called a *Wrangland* in Acome, which he lately recovered against John Grangar and Eliz., his wife, Thos. Taylar and Matilda, his wife, and Peter Taylar, son of Matilda, by the verdict of that court in a plea of land. Fine 8s.

The total is clear. (*Summa patet*) [i.e. 8s.]

Court with View of Frankpledge 18 Oct. 12 Eliz. [1570].

Jury. Wm. Holgate, Geo. Marshall, Robt. Spacy, Roger Skadlok, Thos. Vessey, Lancelot Swale, John Gill, Wm. Hill, Wm. Haxup, John Burdeux, Geo. Gill, Robt. Ploughman, John Atkinson, Adam Gill.

Complaints. Wm. Gibson against John Gill and Geo. Gill in a plea of debt on demand of 35s. and $\frac{1}{2}$ quarter of wheat worth 4s. 11d. The dfts. could not deny the charge.

Thos. Cootes against Robt. Bolton in a plea of debt on demand of 20s. and a *lynen shete* worth 4s. The dft. denied the debt and both he and the plt. put themselves on the homage. They determined that the dft. owed the 20s. but had not withheld the *shete*.

Robt. Knaggs against Thos. Taylar that he killed his bay mare with an ox *cornupeto*¹ to his loss of 20s. The dft. denied that he was guilty and put himself on the homage and the plt. did likewise. The jurors said the dft. was not guilty.

Robt. Knaggs also against Thos. Taylar that he had killed a black mare with an ox *cornupeto*¹ to his loss of 20s. The dft. denied that he was guilty and put himself on the homage, the plt. did likewise. The jury said the dft. was not guilty.

Verdict. Ric. Stapleton, kt., Wm. Ingleby, kt., John Ingleby, esq., John Weddell, Wm. Watson, merchant, and Roger Metcalf, gent. owed suit of court but defaulted and were fined 6d. each. Total 3s.

Wm. Robynson, merchant, John Skadlok, Thos. Palazer, John Holgate, and John Thakwray were fined for default of suit of court, 4d. each. Total 2s.

Presentments.

Robt. Hill for an affray on Wm. Hill 3s. 4d.

Wm. Hill for making an affray and drawing blood of Robt. Hill 10s. 0d.

Joan Hill, wife of Robt. Hill, and the wife of Thos. Cootes, common brewers, for selling unwholesome ale
each 8d.

¹ Poleaxe.

The wife of Robt. Walkar, common brewer, for selling ale with an unsealed measure 12d.

John Richardson, Ric. Balmforth and Joan, his wife, surrendered per Geo. Marshall and Lancelot Swale a messuage, barn and garden in Acome to the use of Peter Newark, esq., for 12 yrs. from the feast of St. Martin in Winter next [Nov. 11]. Fine 5s.

John Grangar surrendered per Robt. Ploughman and Robt. Gill a messuage, barn and garden and 2 oxgangs of land in Acome to himself for life with remainder to Luke Austyn and Alice, his wife, and their heirs. Fine 50s.

Robt. Gill surrendered per Robt. Spacy and Lancelot Swale the moiety of a messuage, barn and garden and 2 oxgangs of land in Holgate, formerly in the tenure of Robt. Bisshop, and also the moiety of 2 cottages and 3 a. of land to the use of Wm. Beane for the remainder of a term of years which he had jointly with Robt. Ploughman, as in the court roll dated 14 Oct. 10 Eliz. [1568]. Fine 13s. 4d.

Robt. Johnson surrendered per Geo. Marshall and Robt. Ploughman $\frac{1}{2}$ a. called *Threep Lea* in Holgate to the use of Humphrey Guy. Fine 2s.

Penalties.

All inhabitants of Acome and Holgate to scour their water sewers before All Saints' Day [Nov. 1] 3s. 4d.

They were likewise to make up their fences before the feast of St. Martin in Winter [Nov. 11] 3s. 4d.

They were to ring all pigs aged $\frac{1}{4}$ year before All Saints' Day 4d.

All inhabitants of Holgate to fence their *baksyds* before All Saints' Day 3s. 4d.

No inhabitant of Acome to cut any whins from between the far end of Gravell Hills and Dycorne Close
penalty 10s. per load, per burden 3s. 4d.

Robt. Spacy and Thos. Vessey to view the scouring of water sewers, making of fences and ringing of pigs in Acome each 2s. 0d.

Geo. Gill and Peter Skadlok to do likewise in Holgate
each 2s. 0d.

Wm. Nevison to see that the common well at the W. end of Acome was scoured as often as necessary . . . 2s. 0d.

Wm. Tanckard was likewise to view the common well at the E. end 2s. 0d.

Robt. Walkar, common brewer of ale, not to keep others' servants in his house at night, nor allow anyone to use playing cards or play other illegal games . . . 20s. 0d.

All brewers to brew good ale, wholesome for men's bodies 10s. 0d.

Election of Officers. Constables, Geo. Marshall for Acome, Cuthbert Welles for Holgate. Ale tasters, John Thakwray and Wm.

Acome for Acome, John Burdeux for Holgate. Reeves, Robt. Hill for Acome, Geo. Marshall and Geo. Skadlok for Holgate.

Total profits for this court, £4 11s. 0d.

Court with View of Frankpledge, Wednesday, 25 April 13 Eliz. [1571].

Jury. Wm. Holgate, gent., Robt. Spacie, Lancelot Swale, Thos. Vessey, Robt. Gill, Adam Gill, Robt. Plewman, Roger Skadlok, Wm. Haxup, John Kirkbie, John Burdeux, Geo. Gill of Holgate, Geo. Skadlok, John Gill.

Complaints.

Adam Skadlocke against Adam Gill in a plea of debt on demand of a moiety of a quarter of barley, worth 4s., delivered to the plt. on the feast of the Purification of the B.V.M. last [Feb. 2]. The dft. denied the debt and both he and the plt. placed themselves on the homage who said the dft. did not owe the money and the plt. was fined 4d. for a false claim.

Both the aforesaid Ric. Beilbe, plt. and the said Geo. Marshall, dft. came before the court. The bailiff said that Ric. Beilbie had not given an order of Habeas Corpora for the bodies which the jurors had at this court. [?].

Peter Newarke, esq., surrendered per Robt. Spacye and Lancelot Swale a tenement, garden and barn and 1 oxgang of land in Acome to the use of Hy. Gill. Fine 26s. 8d.

Peter Skadlock of Holgate surrendered per Geo. Marshall and Robt. Gill the moiety of 1 a. of land called *Withe Buske Land* lying near Cowlayne, viz. the *Third land from yt*, to the use of Robt. Johnsonsone. Fine 2s.

Wm. Thakwray lately held of the lord a cottage, a garden, the moiety of 1 a. of land on Hobmore and the moiety of another acre at Whit Close Syde. Because he had failed to do suit and service at the manorial court (held at Acome 7 Oct. 8 Eliz. [1566] during the space of 1 year and it was not known whether he is living or not, the jurors said the premises should be forfeited to the lord. The bailiff was ordered to seize them and pay the revenues to the lord. At this court the lord then granted the premises (per Laurence Grene, steward) to John Thackwray, son and heir of Wm. It was also presented that Wm. Thackwray had surrendered per Thos. Vessye and Lancelot Swale all his rights in the premises to the use of John, his son. The latter was now granted seisin and was to pay his father 5s. p.a. during his lifetime. Wm. Thackwray to have right of entry and distrain if the payment was more than 20 days overdue. Fine £4.

Verdict. Ric. Stapleton, kt. (6d), John Ynglebie, esq. (6d), Wm. Ynglebie, kt. (6d), Wm. Watson, merchant, (6d), Robt. Nottingham (4d), and Thos. Coates (4d) for failing to do suit of court were fined as stated.

Presentments.

Geo. Marshall for an affray on Robt. Spacie .. 3s. 4d.
 Wilfred [blank], servant of Peter Newark, esq., for
 drawing blood of Robt. [blank] .. 6s. 8d.
 John Day for putting a mangy horse on the common 5s. 0d.
 Thos. Furthe for cutting and carrying away a bundle
 of *whynnes* from Holgait Moore .. 4d.
 Thos. Melbie (4d), Wm. Austene (4d), Thos. Rawsone (2d), Ric.
 Boteland (4d), John Synkinsone (4d), Wm. Ellis (4d), Wm. Myers
 (4d), John Leightfoote (4d), Thos. Hill (4d), and Thos. Hutchyne
 of Askham Bryan (2d) for taking *whynnes* from the common were
 fined as stated.

A messuage in Holgayte in the tenure of Robt. Knaggs was in
 ruin and should be repaired by the said Robt.

Penalties.

Every occupant of a messuage in Acome to have 2 cart
 loads of turves from Acome Moore and every cottager 1
 load and no more; no one else to take any bundles of
 turves .. 10s. per cart load and 3s. 4d. per bundle
 No one to cut any *whynnes* from Skue Yate as far as
 the Gravell Hill or between the same and Dycorne Close
 10s. per cart load and 3s. 4d. per bundle
 No inhabitant of Askham Bryan to cut or carry away
whyns from the common of this manor ..
 10s. per load and 3s. 4d. per burden
 Every inhabitant of Holgayte to keep his pigs out of
 the Cornefeild, the Acome strete and the Popleton Strete
 for each pig 4d.
 No inhabitant of Acome to dry any hemp in their
 dwelling houses .. 3s. 4d.
 Robt. Spacie and John Gill to see that no more turves
 were taken than ordained and to make presentments [of
 offenders] .. 3s. 4d.
 Total profits of this court ... [blank].

**Court with View of Frankpledge 18 Oct. 13 Eliz. [1571] before
 Laurence Grene, steward.**

Jury. Wm. Holgayte, gent., Adam Gill, Wm. Hill, Adam
 Skadloke, Geo. Skadloke, Peter Skadlock, John Gill, John Thack-
 wray, Robt. Gill, John Kirkbie, snr., Thos. Vessey, Peter Gill, Hy.
 Gill, John Kirkbie, jnr.

Complaints.

Anthony Atkinsone against Wm. Watsone, merchant, in a plea
 of land, viz. concerning a messuage and 2 oxgangs of land in Holgate.
 He made protestation to pursue his complaint in the form of a writ
 of entry sur disseisin at common law, and sought that proceedings be
 taken against Wm. Watsone. The bailiff was ordered to summon
 him to the next court to reply to the charge.

Wm. Hunter against John Rawsone in a plea of debt on demand for 7s. 8d. the residue of 9s. which he owed him and unjustly retained; the dft. had bought a coat from him for 9s. and afterwards paid him 16d. but not the remaining 7s. 8d. to his loss of 12d. He produced evidence etc. The dft. denied the debt and both he and the plt. placed themselves on the homage who said that the dft. owed the 7s. 8d. and assessed damages at 1d. and the court's costs at 2d. The bailiff was ordered to raise the debt and costs for the plt. from the dft's goods and chattels before the next court. The dft. was fined 4d.

Wm. Hill against Robt. Hill in a plea of trespass that the dft's cattle had trampled and eaten his grass to his loss of 6s. 8d. The dft. denied that he was guilty and both he and the plt. put themselves on the homage who said the dft. was guilty and assessed damages at 2d. and the costs of the court at 2d. The dft. was fined 4d.

John Nicksone against Valarie Darcie in a plea of debt on demand of 2s. 8d. because he had granted the dft. the *laith rome*¹ for 1 year for all his crops for the 2s. 8d. to his loss of 8d. The dft. denied the debt and both placed themselves on the homage who said the dft. did not owe the 2s. 8d. and the plt. was fined 4d. for a false claim.

The bailiff returned a writ of Habeus Corpora demandant between Ric. Beilbie, plt. and Geo. Marshall, tenant, in a plea of land together with a list of names of the twelve jurors, viz. Robt. Spacie, Robt. Ploughman, Roger Skadlocke, Lancelot Swale, John Burdesse, Geo. Gill, Robt. Holgate, Wm. Vessey, Robt. Johnsone, John Graunger, Geo. Skadlocke and Wm. Haxup. Ric. Beilbie and Geo. Marshall came to the court and the jury were sworn. Ric. Beilbie was charged not to proceed further with his plea and was to be amerced by the lord. Geo. Marshall was to go '*sine die*' &c.

Ric. Beilbie against Geo. Marshall in a plea of land, viz. 1 oxgang of land in Holgayt, made protestation to pursue his complaint in the form of a writ of Formedon² in the remainder and sought that proceedings be taken against the said Geo. The bailiff was ordered to summon the dft. to reply to the charge at the next court.

On 28 April [1571] Robt. Norram, clerk, surrendered per Peter Gill and John Kirkbie, jnr., a messuage and 1½ oxgangs of land in Holgate to the use of Wm. Allyne, John Dyneley and Hugh Graves, aldermen of York, Hy. Moore, John Richardstone and Robt. Burland, clerks, for the benefit of the poor in St. Thomas's Hospital without Micklegate Bar. Fine 20s.

Thos. Rote surrendered per Wm. Holgate and Robt. Ploughman 1 r. containing 2 lands, one called *Barrell a Dike* and the other lying in Great Land Nucke in Acome to the use of Geo. Warde. Fine 12d.

Peter Skadlocke surrendered per Geo. Gill and Robt. Holgate ½ oxgang of land in Holgate to the use of John Burdeux. Fine 10s.

Peter Skadlocke also surrendered per Thos. Vessey and Robt. Spacie 2 a. of land in Holgate to the use of Geo. Skadlocke, snr. Fine 8s.

¹ Room in the barn.

² See note, p. 25.

Peter Skadlocke also surrendered per Thos. Vessey and Robt. Spacie 2 a. of land in Holgayt to the use of Geo. Skadlocke, jnr. Fine 8s.

John Skadlocke had died since the last court seised of a cottage and 1 a. of land in Acome and Alexander Skadlocke was his son and heir and was of age. Fine 5s.

Verdict. Ric. Stapleton, kt. (6d), John Ynglebie, esq. (6d), Wm. Ynglebie, kt. (6d), Wm. Robinsone (6d), Roger Metcalf (6d), Robt. Nottingham (4d), John Thackwray (4d), Wm. Nabilson (4d) and Hy. Gill (4d) were tenants and owed suit of court but defaulted and were fined as stated.

Presentments.

Thos. Nickson of Holgate for an affray and drawing blood of Thos. West	6s.	8d.
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Thos. Donningtone of Acome for making a recovery from the common pinder	3s.	4d.
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Penalties.

All inhabitants of Acome and Holgate to make their fences before the feast of St. Martin in Winter [Nov. 11]	3s.	4d.
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Likewise to scour their water sewers before All Saints' Day [Nov. 1]	3s.	4d.
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And ring their pigs before All Saints' Day	each pig	2d.
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Everyone who had land between the Whyte Close Syde and the Croft Ends of Robt. Boltone to plant quickwood on his own side and make a ditch there before the feast of the Annunciation [Mar. 25]	3s.	4d.
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Lancelot Swale, Thos. Tayllor, Adam Gill and John Thackwray to view the scouring of water sewers, making of fences and ringing of pigs in Acome and Robt. Holgayt and Wm. Beane to do likewise in Holgayt	12d.
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Wm. Annatsone and Wm. Jacksone to see that the common wells of Acome were scoured as often as necessary	12d.
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Election of Officers. Constables, Wm. Hill for Acome, Geo. Skadlocke for Holgait. Ale tasters, Robt. Spacie and Robt. Gill for Acome, Robt. Holgate for Holgait. Reeves, Adam Gill and Thos. Vessey for Acomb, Thos. Palezar for Holgayt.

Total profits of this court, [blank].

Court Baron, Friday, 9 Nov. 13 Eliz. [1571], before Laurence Grene.

Wm. Watsone, merchant, on 27 April last, surrendered per Geo. Marshall, Robt. Spacie and Lancelot Swale a messuage and 2 oxgangs of land in Holgate, in the occupation of Margaret Wells, widow, to the use of Andrew Trew. Fine [unspecified]. At this court Anthony Atkinsone, brother and heir of Wm. Atkinsone, sued against Wm. Watsone concerning a messuage and 2 oxgangs of land in Holgate which he claimed to hold to him and his heirs of the lord of

the manor. He made protestation to prosecute his claim in the form of a writ of Entry sur Disseisin at common law. He claimed that Wm. Watsons had no right of entry except per Wm. Watsons, his uncle. The latter had leased the premises to his nephew who had then wrongfully disseised the said Wm. Atkinsone. Wm. Atkinsone was seised of the property in demesne as of fee in the reign of Edward VI, and his rights descended to the plt., his brother, when he died without heirs of his body.

Ric. Beilbie per Thos. Bilbroughe, his attorney, sued against Geo. Marshall concerning 1 oxgang of land in Holgate which he claimed to hold of the lord of the manor to him and his heirs. He made protestation to prosecute his claim in the form of a writ of Formedon¹ in the remainder. John Beilbie, snr. had come before Master Lancelot Collingsone, then lord of the manor, at the court held on the Thursday after Michaelmas 25 Hy. VIII [2 Oct. 1533] and surrendered the premises, viz. a messuage and 1 oxgang of land in Holgate to the use of John Beilbe, jnr., and the heirs of his body or, for want thereof, to the right heirs of John Beilbie, snr. John Beilbie, snr. and John Beilbie, jnr. paid a fine of 36s. 8d. and were admitted as tenants. John Beilbe, jnr. died at Holgate without heirs of his body and the premises therefore remained to the said Ric. Beilbie as cousin and heir of John Beilbie, snr., being son and heir of Guy, the son and heir of Thos., the son and heir of Robt., the brother and heir of John Beilbie, snr., who died without heirs of his body. Ric. Beilbie produced a copy of the roll of the court. The tenant sought time until the next court and a date was therefore given to the plt.

Court Baron 30 Nov. 14 Eliz. [1571].

Anthony Atkinsone came to the court and objected against Wm. Watsons in a plea of land. Wm. Watsons, per Andrew Trew, his attorney, denied that Wm. Watsons his uncle, had disseised the said Wm. Atkinsone of the messuage and 2 oxgangs of land and placed himself on the homage. The plt. did likewise. The bailiff ordered 12 tenants of the manor to determine the case at the next court. Geo. Marshall requested a view of the lands and tenements as aforesaid and it was granted.

Court Baron, Saturday, 22 Dec. 14 Eliz. [1571].

To this court came Anthony Atkinsone and Wm. Watsons, per Andrew Trew, his attorney. An order of Venire Facias² was served by the bailiff to 12 jurors. None attended and the plea was respited until the next court.

¹ See note, p. 25.

² Venire Facias Juratores was a writ judicial directed to the sheriff [or bailiff] when issue was joined in an action commanding him to summon a jury. Mozley and Whiteley's *Law Dictionary*, 1950. Abolished by the Common Law Procedure Act, 1852.

Court Baron, Monday, 24 March 14 Eliz. [1572].

The bailiff returned the order of Habeas Corpora of the jurors in a plea of Land between Anthony Atkinsone, demandant, and Wm. Watsone, tenant, with a list of their names, viz. Robt. Ploughman, Geo. Gill of the east end, Wm. Hill, John Burdeux, Robt. Hill, Geo. Mershall, Robt. Nottingham, Wm. Haxup, John Atkinsone, Robt. Gill, Robt. Johnsone and Wm. Vessey. Anthony Atkinsone attended in person and Wm. Watsone per Andrew Trewe, his attorney, and the jury were sworn. Anthony Atkinsone was charged not to proceed further with his plea and was to be amerced by the lord. Wm. Watsone was to go *sine die*.

Court with View of Frankpledge 30 April 14 Eliz. [1572].

Jury. Geo. Marshall, Robt. Spacie, Robt. Ploughman, Wm. Hill, Robt. Hill, Adam Gill, Lancelot Swale, Geo. Skadlock of Holgate, John Burdeux, Robt. Gill, John Atkinsone, Wm. Haxup, Geo. Gill, Robt. Holgate.

Complaints.

Ric. Tomlyn against John Warde in a plea that he should pay him 1 quarter of rye worth 16s. 8d. The dft. denied that he owed the rye. The homage said that he did not owe it and the plt. was amerced 4d. for a false claim.

Thos. Taylor and Matilda, his wife, made claim against John Kirkbie to a messuage, garden and barn and $\frac{1}{2}$ a. of land called *Wrangland* in Acome, which they claimed to hold of the lord of the manor for fealty and service in the form of a writ of right. They were seised of the premises within the 30 yrs. last past in the reign of Edw. VI, and received profits worth 20s., until John Kirkbie wrongfully dispossessed them. The latter was granted time until the next court to reply.

Roger Skadlock surrendered per Wm. Holgate, gent. and Robt. Ploughman a messuage and 2 oxgangs of land in Acome to the use of Stephen Skadlock, his son. Fine 53s. 4d.

Thos. Vessey surrendered per Wm. Hill and Robt. Gill 1 a. of land in Acome, of which $\frac{1}{2}$ a. was called the *Over Rise*; 1 Bitt at the How, $\frac{1}{2}$ r.; 1 Billet Reigne, $\frac{1}{2}$ r.; $\frac{1}{2}$ r. at the Skole Bridge and $\frac{1}{2}$ r. at the Whaues, to the use of Adam Skadlocke. Fine 4s.

Roger Skadlocke, lately by Acome, surrendered per Thos. Vessey and Adam Skadlocke $\frac{1}{2}$ a. of land in Holgate, of which 1 r. lay at Twentie Pennie Eng Side and 1 r. at the Steele Butts, to the use of Roger Skadlock. Fine 2s.

Peter Skadlock surrendered per John Burdeux and John Thackwray $1\frac{1}{2}$ a. in Holgate, viz. $\frac{1}{2}$ a. in the Colecrofte; $\frac{1}{2}$ a. in the More Feild, the *third land from Acome Strete*; 1 r. in the More Feild against the Cowlayne and 1 r. in the Follye Mylne Feilds in the flat called *Tenter Landes*, to the use of Geo. Cowper. Fine 6s.

Peter Skadlock also surrendered per Thos. Vessey and Adam Skadlock 1 a. of land in Holgate of which $\frac{1}{2}$ a. was in the Crosselandes and 2 r. in the Sandie Landes, to the use of Roger Skadlock. Fine 4s.

Presentments.

Thos. Vessey and Thos. Cootes, common brewers each brewed ale which was unwholesome for men's bodies	each	4d.
John Gill for an affray on Adam Skadlock ..	3s.	4d.
Adam Skadlock for drawing blood of Geo. Gill ..	6s.	8d.
Chris. Lermouthe for shooting with a <i>gonne</i> contrary to the statute ¹		[blank]
[blank] Scurtone, tailor, John Nicholsons and Edm. Daragone for the like offence		[blank]
Reginald Battie for killing a hare contrary to the ordinance ² concerning hunting		[blank]
John Lakin for tracking hares with intent to kill them by craft ²	6s.	8d.
Wm. Smithesen for cutting and carrying away <i>whynnes</i> from the common	3s.	4d.

Penalties.

Every occupant of a messuage in Acome to have 2 cart-loads of turves and every cottager 1 load and no more	per cart load	10s.	0d.
No one to dig turves on Acome Moor after 1 Aug. ..	6s.	8d.	
Any dead pigs to be buried immediately	3s.	4d.	
No inhabitant of Acome to receive or take any <i>whynnes</i> from Holgate Moore			4d.
Every inhabitant of Holgate to keep his pigs out of all fields in which there were crops	per animal		4d.
Total profits of this court . . . [blank].			

Court Baron 4 July 14 Eliz. [1572].

Thos. Tayllor and Matilda, his wife, were solemnly charged and did not prosecute their plea. They were therefore to be fined and the tenant was to go *sine die*.

At the court with view of frankpledge of Geo. Gayle, esq. held at Acome 6 Oct. 5 Edw. VI [1551] Eliz. Yates, widow, surrendered a messuage and $\frac{1}{2}$ a. called *Wrangland* in Acome to the use of Matilda Taylor, her daughter, and Peter Taylor, son of Matilda;

¹ The Act of Parliament 33 Hen. VIII, c. 6 (1541/2) says *inter alia* that no person or persons, except he has £100 p.a. *shall shote any Crossbowe, handgun, hagbut or demy hake* on pain of £10. A further section of the same Act allows crossbows, handguns etc. to be kept for the defence of houses if the owner dwells 2 furlongs from the city or borough boundary.

² The Act of Parliament 14 & 15 Hen. VIII, c. 10 (1523) forbids persons tracing hares in the snow and killing them under a penalty of 6s. 8d. leviabie by a J.P. or the steward of a Court Leet. Whether this presentment is based on this Act is not clear.

Court Baron, Friday, 26 Sept. 14 Eliz. [1572].

[Repetition of the above complaint.] Peter Taylor, per John Saxtone, his attorney, said that John Kirkbie had wrongfully dispossessed him of the premises of which he had been seised in Queen Elizabeth's reign and received the profits within the last 60 years. John Kirkbie came to court and sought leave to confer until the next court, which he was granted.

Peter Taylor, plt., per John Saxtone, his attorney, and John Kirkbie, dft., attended this court. The dft. sought time until the next court to reply.

Peter Skadlock surrendered per John Burdeux and Robt. Ploughman 1 a. of arable land, of which $\frac{1}{2}$ a. lay on Madingirse Pitt and $\frac{1}{2}$ a. in the Follie Mylne Feild called a *Sickland*, to the use of Robt Johnstone. Fine 4s.

Nic. Hodshone for an affray and drawing blood of Adam Gill	10s.	0d.
Adam Gill for drawing blood of Nic. Hodshone	..				6s.	8d.

Thos. Rutt for an affray on Wm. Hill, constable of Acome	3s.	4d.
Thos. West for an affray on Geo. Skadlocke, constable of Holgate	3s.	4d.
Robt. Johnson for breaking the common pound at Holgate	3s.	4d.
Brian Whartone for the same offence	3s.	4d.
Robt. Johnson for taking one cartload of turves more than was ordained	3s.	4d.

Penalties.

John Kirkbie, snr. to send away Thos. Donningtone from his house within 3 days after the feast of St. Martin in Winter [Nov. 11]	20s.	0d.
Robt. Nottingham to send away Alice Ellertone from his house within 2 days after the feast of St. Martin	20s.	0d.
John Rawsone to send away Anne Rawson, his daughter, from his house within 2 days after the feast of St. Martin	20s.	0d.
All common water sewers in Acome and Holgate to be scoured before All Saints' Day [Nov. 1] each default	3s.	4d.
All <i>backe frountes</i> from the Garth Ends of Robt. Boltone to the Gaile to be repaired before All Saints' Day	3s.	4d.
All swine in Acome and Holgate to be ringed before the feast of St. Martin per animal		4d.
All hedges and fences between neighbour and neighbour to be repaired before the feast of St. Martin		12d.
Thos. Cootes to see that the common well for the E. End was scoured every quarter		12d.
Wm. Thomsone to see that the common well at the W. End was scoured every quarter		12d.
Every inhabitant of Acome or Holgate who had any corn on the Fyre Heck to remove it before All Saints' Day	10s.	0d.
Robt. Boltone to put down <i>one spangd oxe</i> before the feast of St. Peter [Aug. 1]	10s.	0d.
Thos. Tayllor to put down <i>one hawkd oxe</i> before the feast of St. Peter	10s.	0d.
Thos. Coates to put down a black cow before the feast of St. Peter	10s.	0d.
Every brewer of Acome and Holgate to send for the ale tasters when he was brewing		12d.
Every officer now elected and not sworn in to come before the steward to take his oath within the next 8 days	10s.	0d.
Robt. Spacie, Geo. Gill, Thos. Vessey and Robt. Ploughman to see that the water sewers were scoured, the fences made and the swine ringed as aforesaid in Acome		12d.
Peter Skadlock and Hy. Ploughman to do likewise in Holgate.		

Election of Officers. John Granger, bailiff for Acome. Robt. Bolton, constable for Acome. John Gill and Lancelot Swale, ale tasters for Acome. Wm. Holgate, bailiff for Holgate. Wm. Beane, constable for Holgate. Peter Skadlocke, ale taster for Holgate.

Total profits of this court, [blank].

Court Baron, Tuesday, 11 Nov. 14 Eliz. [1572].

Both Peter Taylor, demandant, per Robt. Tayllor [*sic*], his attorney, and John Kirkbie, tenant, attended. The tenant brought a writ from the sheriffs of the city of York directed to the steward ordering that all actions in the court between the two parties should be resolved. He sought that the order be admitted in the court. But the court wished to take advice concerning it.

Court Baron, Friday, 20 Feb. 15 Eliz. [1573].

The bailiff returned the order of Venire Facias with a list of the jurors' names. None of the jurors attended and the assize was respited until the next court. The bailiff to ensure their attendance and in the meantime they were to view the premises.

Court with View of Frankpledge, Monday, 30 March 15 Eliz. [1573].

The bailiff returned the writ of Habeas Corpus with a list of the 12 jurors, viz:— Wm. Robinsone, John Weddall, Peter Newarke, Geo. Marshall, Robt. Plewman, John Thackwray, Wm. Haxup, John Carrock, Hy. Gill, Geo. Cowper, Geo. Gill of the E. End, Geo. Skadlocke of Holgate, Peter Skadlocke, Adam Skadlocke, Robt. Gill, Robt. Johnson, and Ric. Shiptone. Each was attached. Peter Taylor, demandant, attended per John Saxtone his attorney, and John Kirkbie, tenant, attended in person. The jurors said that John Kirkbie had a greater right to hold the premises than Peter Taylor had to claim them. The demandant was fined for a false claim.

Jury. Wm. Holgate, Robt. Spacie, Robt. Ploughman, John Gill, John Atkinsone, Robt. Nottingham, John Burdeux, Lancelot Swale, Wm. Hill, Robt. Hill, Stephen Skadlocke, Adam Gill, Wm. Vessey, Robt. Holgate, Geo. Skadlock.

Peter Skadlock surrendered per John Burdeux and Geo. Gill 3 Dales of meadow in Holgate Engs, of which one was called *Midward Dayle*, another *Langedaile* and the third *Langmorterdaile*, together with the *gaits* belonging to 1 oxgang of land in the hedges of Holgate Engs to the use of Geo. Marshall. Fine 4s.

Andrew Trewe surrendered a messuage, barn, garden and 2 oxgangs of land and meadow in Holgate, in the occupation of Hy. Plewman, to the use of Robt. Franshe and Mary, his wife. Fine 40s.

Roger Metcalf, gent., surrendered per Wm. Hill and Lancelot Swaile a tenement, garden and 1 oxgang of land in Acome, in the tenure of Peter Newarke, esq., and $1\frac{1}{2}$ a. in the Marrs, in the tenure of Geo. Marshall, to the use of Peter Newarke. Fine 20s.

Peter Newarke surrendered $1\frac{1}{2}$ a. of land in Acome, on the Car Side next the land of Robt. Plewman, to the use of Roger Metcalf. Fine 6s.

Peter Skadlocke surrendered per John Burdeux and Geo. Skadlocke $\frac{1}{2}$ a. of land in Holgate, in the upper part of Langlands, to the use of Wm. Haxup. Fine 2s.

Peter Skadlocke surrendered a cottage not [yet] built and 4 posts, being part of a barn adjoining the cottage, in Holgate to the use of Wm. Tone. Fine 6s.

Isabel Tomlyn, late wife of Ric. Tomlyn, died since the last court seised of a cottage and garden in Acome and Lancelot Skadlocke was her son and nearest heir and of age. Fine 6s. 8d.

Thos. Vessey surrendered per John Gill and Wm. Hill 2 a. of arable land in Acome, 2 Feildgates and 2 Cargaits and the meadow pertaining to 1 oxgang of land, of which 1a. lay on the Lange Half Acres and Appletre Stubb; 1 r. in Holgate Rods near the common balke; 1 r. in Hobmore, the third from Hob Ayks near John Thackwray's land; $\frac{1}{2}$ r. next to Hobmore Rawe at the end of the close of Peter Newarke, esq.; another $\frac{1}{2}$ r. on the Bekbits next to Lany Ynge; $\frac{1}{2}$ r. on Loscar Calves next Ruffurth gateway and $\frac{1}{2}$ r. on Loscar Calves next the commone balke to the use of Hy. Gill of Thirscrosse. He also surrendered to the use of Hy. Gill a free or annual rent of 8d. from lands in Acome which he had surrendered to John Kirkbie, jnr.; 8d. p.a. from lands he had surrendered to Adam Skadlock; 8d. p.a. from lands he had surrendered to Wm. Vessey; 4d. p.a. from lands he had surrendered to Wm. Haxup; and 14d. p.a. rent from lands he had surrendered to Peter Gill. Fine 12s.

Presentments.

Hy. Topham of Knapton for breaking the common pound at Acome and making an unlawful rescue from Geo. Gill, the commone pinder	6s.	8d.
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Thos. Terrie for not scouring a water sewer at Holgate		3s.	4d.
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John Adamsone and Wm. Tone of Dringhowses for cutting and carrying away <i>whynns</i> from Acome More			
	each	10s.	0d.

Wm. Austen of Askham Brian for making an affray on Nic. Newarke, an officer of the lord of the manor	..	3s.	4d.
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Penalties.

No inhabitant of Acome to cut <i>whynnes</i> from this side of Gravell Hills and Dikehorne Close Nucke		
	per cart-load	10s., per burden	3s. 4d.

Every occupant of a messuage in Acome to have 2 cart-loads of turves from Acome More and every cottager 1 cart-load and no more	..	per cart-load	10s., per burden	3s. 4d.
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Every inhabitant of Acome and Holgate to scour his water sewers sufficiently before Whit-Sunday ..	3s.	4d.
Jas. Geldard of York, butcher, to repair the <i>causie</i> in the Poppletone Strete at the end of his close before the feast of St. John the Baptist [June 24]	6s.	8d.
All inhabitants of Acome and Holgate to repair their backfronts and forefronts and their other fences between their land and their neighbours before 3 May ..	3s.	4d.
No inhabitant of Acome or Holgate to cut or take away any quickwood planted on his neighbours boundary (<i>fossatum</i>) ¹	3s.	4d.
Nor to cut or carry away <i>whynnes</i> from the little Moor at Holgate .. per cart-load 10s., per burden		12d.
Every inhabitant of Holgate to keep his swine out of the cornfield each animal		4d.
Robt. Spacie and John Gill to present any offences in Acome contrary to the penalties now imposed each		12d.
Hy. Ploughman and Peter Skadlock to do likewise in Holgate each		12d.

Court Baron with View of Frankpledge 12 Oct. 15 Eliz. [1573] before Laurence Grene, steward.

Complaints.

Hugh Lappingtone against Wm. Holgate in a plea of debt on demand of 8s. The dft. denied the charge and put himself on the homage. The plt. did likewise. The homage said the dft. did not owe 8s., the plt. was fined 4d. for a false claim.

Wm. Bensone against Margaret Vessey, widow and executrix of Thos. Vessey, of Acome deceased, in a plea of debt on demand of 4½ qters of barley worth 39s. 11½d. which she wrongly withheld. On 10 May 15 Eliz. [1573] he had bought the barley from Thos. Vessey to be delivered to the plt. when required. The dft. denied that she had withheld the barley and put herself on the homage. The plt. did likewise. The homage said that Margaret detained the 4½ qters of barley but that they were worth 30s. because they were kept back. They assessed damages at 4d. and the costs of the court at 2d. The dft. was fined 4d.

John Kirkbie, jnr., against John Gill in a plea of debt on demand of 3 qters of barley worth 39s., bought on 10 Oct. 14 Eliz. [1572] to be delivered to him on the feast of the Purification of the B.V.M. [Feb. 2] The dft. did not attend and was therefore fined 12d. The bailiff was ordered to attach him to ensure his attendance at the next court to reply to John Kirkbie's charge.

John Warde against John Gill in a plea of debt on demand of 18s. for 6 sheep bought on 30 Sept. 14 Eliz. [1572] to be paid for on the feast of St. Michael the Archangel next [Sept. 29]. The dft. personally admitted the action.

¹ i.e., ditch and bank.

Thos. Kelsey against Wm. Hill in a plea that he detained a *myslyne basyn*¹ worth 5s. which the plt. had delivered for safe custody to be returned to him when required. It had still not been delivered. The dft. denied that he had retained the basin as alleged and put himself on the homage. The plt. did likewise.

The homage said the dft. did not withhold the basin and the plt. was fined 4d. for a false claim.

Jurors. Wm. Holgate, Robt. Plewman, Wm. Hill, Lancelot Swaile, Robt. Hill, Peter Gill, John Atkinsone, John Burdeux, Geo. Skadlock, Robt. Hill, John Thackwray, Peter Skadlocke, Robt. Holgate, Geo. Skadlocke, John Kirkebie, jnr.

Geo. Skadlocke, jnr. surrendered per John Burdeux and Adam Gill 2 a. of land and meadow in Holgate to the use of Agnes, his wife, for life, remainder to the heirs of their bodies, remainder to the right heirs of Geo. Fine 5s.

Geo. Marshall surrendered per Peter Newark, esq. and John Burdeux a cottage, garden and barn in Acome to the use of Marion Jacksonne for life. Fine 3s. 4d.

Geo. Marshall also surrendered as above 1 oxgang of land in Holgate and 3 dales of meadow in Holgate Intaie called the *Engs*, with the *etage*² belonging to 1 oxgang of land in the Engs to the use of Wm. Marshall, Thos. Marshall and Joan Marshall, his children, until Wm. Marshall should become 21 yrs. of age. Fine 13s. 4d.

Wm. Robinsone of York, merchant, surrendered per John Kirkbie, snr. and Robt. Franche a messuage, 2 cottages, 2 oxgangs and 3 a. of land in Holgate to the use of Robt. Watsonne. Fine 53s. 4d.

Peter Skadlocke surrendered per John Burdeux and Robt. Holgate 1 r. of meadow in Holgate Engs to the use of Wm. Tone. Fine 2s.

Presentments.

Geo. Skadlock of Holgate for allowing his swine to make default in Holgate fields	12d.
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John Nixsone for the like default	2d.
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Wm. Plewman, miller, for not attending this court and not bringing the <i>toll dishe</i> according to custom	..	3s.	4d.
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Penalties.

All inhabitants of Acome and Holgate to repair their fences between neighbour and neighbour before All Saints' Day [Nov. 1]	3s.	4d.
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They were to scour their water sewers and ring their swine before All Saints' Day	12d.
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They were to plant their boundaries with quickwood from the <i>dowdell bushe</i> as far as Stainehowse Close Nucke before the feast of the Annunciation of the B.V.M. [Mar. 25]	3s.	4d.
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¹ Maslin – mixed or alloyed metal.

² Grazing.

The tenants or occupants of the Halgarth and Buskels (at Holgate) to lay their water sewers in their proper courses before All Saints' Day 20s. 0d.

Wm. Tone, Peter Skadlock, Jas. Geldarde and Hy. Plewman to repair the *hie* way in the Popleton Strete before All Saints' Day each 3s. 4d.

No inhabitant of Acome to cut or take any *whynnes* from the Dikehorne Close Nucke as far as Gravell Hills per load 10s. per bundle 12d.

Nor to cut or take *whynes* from Holgate Moor per bundle 3s. 4d.

Nor to keep more pigs than their own 10s. 0d.

Robt. Hill and Robt. Plewman to see that all water sewers were scoured, all swine ringed, all fences repaired and other penalties performed 2s. 0d.

John Burdeux and Wm. Beane to do likewise in Holgate 2s. 0d.

Thos. Oliver to see that the common well at the East End of Acome was scoured every quarter 12d.

Thos. Ellisone was likewise to supervise the scouring of the well at the West End every quarter 12d.

Election of Officers. For Acome:— John Kirkbie, bailiff; John Thackwray, constable; Thos. Smithe and Robt. Gill, ale tasters. For Holgate:— Peter Skadlock, bailiff; John Carrocke, constable, Geo. Skadlock, ale taster.

Total profits of this court, [blank].

Court Baron with View of Frankpledge, Wednesday, 21 April 16 Eliz. [1574] before Lancelot Grene, steward.

Jurors. Wm. Holgate, gent., Robt. Spacie, Wm. Hill, Robt. Gill, Geo. Gill, John Thackwray, Lancelot Swaile, Adam Gill, Hy. Gill, Robt. Ploughman, John Burdeux, Geo. Skadlock, John Carrock, Wm. Haxupe, Peter Gill, Robt. Frenshe.

Complaint.

Ric. Smoughtone against Wm. Wright in a plea of trespass on the grounds that the dft. assaulted and struck him to the value of 30s.

Roger Metcalf (at the court held on 21 Oct. 3 Eliz. [1561]) surrendered a messuage, garden, barn and 3 oxgangs of land in Acome to the use of Peter Newark, esq. for 21 yrs. from the feast of St. Martin in Winter 1562 [Nov. 11], it is now presented that Roger Metcalf had surrendered the said premises, per Robt. Spacie and Geo. Gill, to the use of Thos. Smythe for 21 yrs. following immediately after the term granted to Peter Newark at a rent of 28s. p.a. Fine 40s.

Stephen Skadlock surrendered per Robt. Hill, Geo. Gill and Ric. Shiptone a messuage, barn and garden and 1 oxgang of land in Acome to the use of Ellen Gill, his wife, remainder to the heirs of their bodies lawfully begotten, remainder to the right heirs of Stephen. Fine 13s. 4d.

Peter Skadlocke surrendered the moiety of 1 a. of land in Holgate in the Buskhill to the use of John Myne, jnr. Fine 2s.

Peter Skadlock surrendered per John Burdeux and Adam Skadlock the moiety of 1 a. of land in Holgate in the Peseland Pitts to the use of John Leightfoote. Fine 2s.

Peter Skadlock also surrendered per Geo. Skadlocke and Wm. Haxup the moiety of 1 a. of land in Holgate called the *Langelandes* in the Folly Mylne Feilde to the use of Adam Skadlock. Fine 2s.

Eliz. Shiptone, widow, surrendered per John Kirkbie, jnr. and John Gill a piece of land in a close, in the tenure of Robt. Holgate, in Acome containing in length 6 ells¹ and in width 5 ells² to the use of Ric. Shiptone. Fine 12d.

Geo. Skadlock surrendered per Robt. Spacie and Lancelot Swaile the moiety of 1 a. of land in Holgate in a place called Garbridge to the use of Peter Newark, esq. Fine 2s.

Geo. Skadlock also surrendered per Robt. Spacie and Lancelot Swaile 2 a. of land and meadow in Holgate to the use of John Skadlock. Fine 8s.

Robt. Spacie surrendered the moiety of 1 a. of land in Acome called the *Milne Stie*, $\frac{1}{2}$ a. in the Colt Half Acar, 1 r. called a *Narrowe Fulfur* and the moiety of 1 r. in Knapton Gate Bitt, to the use of Peter Newarke. Fine 2s. 9d.

Robt. Gill surrendered per John Gill and Geo. Gill the moiety of 1 a. in Acomb in the Kell Landes to the use of Robt. Hill. Fine 2s.

Adam Gill surrendered per Robt. Spacie and Robt. Ploughman 1 a. of land in Acomb in Ouse Acres to the use of Hy. Gill. Fine 4s.

Robt. Ploughman, Margaret, his wife, and Hy. his son, surrendered 2 r. of land in the Loscos, 1 r. in the Mars, the moiety of 1 r. in Knapton Gate Bitt, the moiety of 1 r. in the Netherlonge Land Endes and the moiety of 1 r. near the *mylne*, all in Acomb to the use of Peter Newark, esq. Fine 4s. 6d.

Peter Newark, esq. surrendered 1 r. and the moiety of 1 r. in Acome being 2 Landes lying together (*pariter*) of which one was called the *Headland of the Barrell le Diks*, the moiety of 1 r. called the *Butt Landes*, the moiety of 1 a. and the moiety of 1 r. in the Beckbitts, one of them called *Beckbitt Headland*, to the use of Robt. Ploughman and Margaret, his wife, for the term of their lives, remainder to the use of Hy. Ploughman, their son, and the heirs of his body lawfully begotten, remainder to the right heirs of Robt. Fine 4s. 6d. for possession and [unspecified] for the reversion.

Peter Newark, esq. surrendered 1 a. and 1 r. of land in Acome in the Longe Roodes and the moiety of 1 r. in Bye Stie Hill, near Robt. Spacie's land, to the use of Robt. Spacie, Alice, his wife, and the heirs and assigns of Robt. Fine 5s. 6d.

Robt. Gill surrendered per Geo. Gill and Lancelot Swaile, 1 a. of land in Acome of which one moiety lay in the Hingingcliffe and the other in the Scorbitts next Adam Gill's land, to the use of Wm. Hill. Fine 4s.

¹ 22 ft. 6 ins.

² 18 ft. 9 ins.

Peter Gill surrendered 2 a. of land in Acome, one called an *Ouse Acar* and the other a *Little Half Acar* and a *Marr*, to the use of Hy. Gill. Fine 8s.

Presentments.

Ric. Smoughtone for an affray against Wm. Wright 3s. 4d.

Wm. Wright for drawing blood of Ric. Smoughtone 6s. 8d.

The occupants of the Hall Garthe at Holgate for not putting their water sewer into its proper course according to the penalty 20s. 0d.

John Gill for cutting and taking 6 bundles of *whynnes* from Acome More 6s. 0d.

Adam Gill for cutting and taking 3 bundles of *Whynnes* from Acome More 3s. 0d.

Eliz. Fowler for being under John Thackwray's window at night in order to hear his conversation ('*consilium*') 12d.

Penalties.

No inhabitant of Acome or Holgate to put a mangy horse on the common 20s. 0d.

Eliz. Raynard, widow, and Wm. Tanckerde not to keep in their houses any person of ill-fame .. each 10s. 0d.

All inhabitants of the N. side of Acome to make a sufficient way before their forefronts for men to pass before the feast of St. Michael the Archangel [Sept. 29] .. each 20s. 0d.

Total profits of this court, [blank].

Court with View of Frankpledge with Court Baron, Monday, 11 Oct. 16 Eliz. [1574] before Laurence Grene, steward.

Jurors. Robt. Spacye, Robt. Plowghman, Robt. Gill, Wm. Hill, Geo. Gill, Adam Gill, Lancelot Swaill, Thos. Smythe, John Gill, John Burdux, Hy. Gill, Robt. Nottingham, Robt. Hill.

Complaints.

Thos. Rout against John Wyse in a plea of debt on demand of 1 cart-load of turves worth 5s. which the plt. had bought from the dft. to be delivered to him as required. The dft. denied the charge and put himself on the homage. The dft. did likewise. The homage said the dft. owed the plt. 1 cart-load of turves worth 12d. They assessed damages at 1d. and the court's costs at 2d. The dft. was fined 4d.

Thos. Wood against Robt. Johnsone in a plea of debt on demand of 12s. as surety for Wm. Davisone. The dft. denied the charge. He put himself on the homage and the plt. did likewise. The homage said that the dft. owed the 12s. and assessed damages at 1d. and the court's costs at 2d. The dft. was fined 4d.

Wm. Moyses against Wm. Nabilson in a plea of debt on demand of 10s. as surety for Thos. Woode. The dft. personally denied the debt and put himself on the homage. The plt. did likewise. The

homage said the dft. owed 5s. and assessed damages at 1d. and the court's costs at 2d. The dft. was fined 4d.

Lancelot Skadlocke against Stephen Skadlocke in a plea of deceit. He claimed the dft. had promised to deliver $1\frac{1}{2}$ measures of barley worth 4s. to be sown on $\frac{1}{2}$ a. of land, he had not done so, with the result that the land was not sown, to his loss of 26s. 8d. The dft. personally denied the charge, saying he had not promised to give the barley. He put himself on the homage and the dft. did likewise. The homage said he had promised to deliver $1\frac{1}{2}$ measures of barley and assessed damages at 4d. and the court's costs at 2d. The dft. was fined 4d.

John Gill, Geo. Gill and Eliz, the latter's wife, surrendered per Robt. Gill and Geo. Gill, snr. 1 a. of land in Acome of which $\frac{1}{2}$ a. lay on the Marres and $\frac{1}{2}$ a. on the Kell Landes, to the use of Edw. Wilcocke. Fine 4s.

John Gill surrendered per Robt. Gill and Geo. Gill, snr. 1 a. of land in Acome of which $\frac{1}{2}$ a. lay on the Appletree Stubbs, 1 r. in the Wheatlandes and 1 r. on the Oxe Croftes, to the use of Geo. Gill, jnr. and Eliz., his wife, and their heirs with remainder to the right heirs of Geo. Gill, jnr. Fine 4s.

Peter Skadlocke surrendered per John Kirkbie, jnr. and Geo. Skadlocke a messuage, barn and garden in Holgait to the use of John Burdux. Fine 10s.

John Burdux surrendered per John Kirkbie, jnr. and Geo. Skadlocke a cottage and garden in Acomb to the use of Peter Skadlocke. Fine 5s.

Wm. Tone surrendered per John Burdux and Robt. Holgaite a cottage and garden in Holgaite to the use of Beatrix, his wife, for life, remainder to the use of Wm. and Hy. Tone, their sons. Fines, 2s. 6d. for possession, 2s. 6d. for the reversion.

Wm. Tone surrendered per John Burdux and Robt. Holgait 1 r. of meadow in Holgaite Engs to the use of Marian, his daughter. Fine 18d.

Peter Skadlocke surrendered per John Burdux and Robt. Plewman 1 a. and $\frac{1}{2}$ r. of land in Holgaite of which $\frac{1}{2}$ a. lay in the Gravell Helle, $1\frac{1}{2}$ r. on the Littell Howe and 1 r. on the Thorpe Lez to the use of Wm. Plewman. Fine 4s. 6d.

Eliz. Shiptone surrendered per Robt. Plewman and Lancelot Swaille a cottage, a garden and $1\frac{1}{2}$ a. of land in Acome, of which $\frac{1}{2}$ a. is called a *Mylne Lande*, $\frac{1}{2}$ a. the *Mydforthe Lande* and $\frac{1}{2}$ a. a *Marr*, to the use of Wm. Shiptone. Fine 11s.

Robt. Spacye surrendered 5 r. of land in Acomb, of which $\frac{1}{2}$ r. lay on the Barrell A Dike, $\frac{1}{2}$ r. across Bistie Hill, $\frac{1}{2}$ r. in the Becke Bitts, $\frac{1}{2}$ r. on the Loscos, $\frac{1}{2}$ r. called a *Hentherine*, another $\frac{1}{2}$ r. called a *Hentherine*, $\frac{1}{2}$ r. called a *Brote*, $\frac{1}{2}$ r. called a *Bitt against the Howe*, $\frac{1}{2}$ r. called a *Pellit Teigne* and $\frac{1}{2}$ r. called a *Dowe Dailebitte*, to the use of Robt. Hill. Fine 5s.

Roger Metcalfe at the court held on 26 Apl. 10 Eliz. [1568] surrendered per Robt. Spacye and Geo. Marshall a messuage with

a toft and croft and 2 oxgangs of land in Acome to the use of Lancelot Swaille for 22 yrs. from the feast of St. Martin in Winter next [Nov. 11]. It was now found that the latter had surrendered his term per Robt. Spacye and Geo. Gill to the use of Wm. Hill. Fine 13s. 4d.

Robt. Hill surrendered 5 r. of land in Acomb of which $\frac{1}{2}$ r. lay in the Great Lande Nuck, $\frac{1}{2}$ r. on the Middell Barrells, $\frac{1}{2}$ r. abutting on Yorke More, $\frac{1}{2}$ r. on the Blacke Bitts, another $\frac{1}{2}$ r. on the Blackbitts, $\frac{1}{2}$ r. on the Staynburne Bitts, $\frac{1}{2}$ r. on the Bitts Over the Waye, $\frac{1}{2}$ r. in the Bitts between the Sikes, $\frac{1}{2}$ r. called a *Blackbitt* and $\frac{1}{2}$ r. called *Loscowe Calfe* to the use of Robt. Spacie. Fine 5s.

Geo. Gill had claimed from Thos. Thackwray a cottage and 1 a. of land in Acome, in the tenure of John Thackwraye. He now quitclaimed the property to John Thackwraye. Fine 3s. 4d.

Marion Jacksone held a cottage, garden and barn in Acome for life by the gift of Geo. Marshall and she had died since the last court. Wm. Marshall was the son and heir of Geo. Marshall and was under age. Fine 12d.

Presentments.

Thos. Smithe, brewer, for allowing certain persons to play cards in his house	20d.
Roger Skadlocke for playing cards in Thos. Smithe's house	4d.
Chris Ellerbecke and Duffeld Gill for the like offence each	4d.

Penalties.

All water sewers in Acome and Holgaite to be scoured before All Saints' Day [Nov. 1]	3s. 4d.
Geo. Walker to scour the common well at the E. end of Acome	12d.
Robt. Holgaite to scour the well at the West End of Acome	12d.
All inhabitants of Acome and Holgaite to repair their <i>forefronts</i> and <i>backfronts</i> between their neighbours	12d.
Robt. Gill and Lancelot Swaille to see that all water sewers were scoured, pigs ringed and fences repaired each	12d.

Election of Officers.

Lancelot Swaill and Hy. Gill, byelawmen (*plebisciti*) for Acome, Geo. Gill, constable for Acome, Adam Gill and Thos. Tayllor, ale tasters for Acome. Ralph Hall, byelawman for Holgait, Hy. Ploughman, constable for Holgait.

Total profits of this court, [blank].

Court Baron with View of Frankpledge held on the feast of St. Mark the Evangelist 17 Eliz. [25 April 1575] before Laurence Grene, steward.

Jurors. Robt. Spacye, Wm. Hill, Adam Gill, Robt. Plewman, Lancelot Swaille, John Atkinsons, Wm. Vessey, Robt. Hill, John

Kirkbye, jnr., John Burdux, Geo. Skadlocke, Thos. Palliser, Wm. Haxupe, Ric. Shiptone.

Complaints.

Wm. Plewman, *mylner*, against Geo. Gill in a plea of debt on demand of 13s. 4d. as per bill. The dft. was charged but did not appear and was therefore fined 12d. The bailiff was ordered to distrain him against the next court.

Wm. Shiptone against Miles Tallor in a plea of debt on demand of 20s. for a horse. The dft. did not appear and was fined 12d. The bailiff was ordered to distrain him against the next court.

John Englibye, esq. against Hugh Leppington in a plea of trespass on the grounds that he broke into his close and wood and cut and took away timber to his loss of 10s. The dft. said he was not guilty. The jurors said he was guilty and assessed damages at 8d. and the court's costs at 2d. The dft. was fined 4d.

John Englibye, esq. made the same complaint against Wm. Tankerd. The dft. denied the charge. The jurors said he was guilty and assessed damages at 8d. and the court's costs at 2d. The dft. was fined 4d.

Hy. Gill against Thos. Ellisone in a plea of debt on demand of 20s., the residue of 40s. The dft. said he did not owe the 20s. and put himself on the homage. The plt. did likewise. The homage said he owed the plt. 20s. and assessed damages at 1d. and the court's costs at 2d. The dft. was fined 4d.

Robt. Gill surrendered per Robt. Plewman and Geo. Gill a messuage, barn, garden and croft in Acome to the use of Alice, his wife, for life. Fine [unspecified].

Robt. Gill also surrendered per Robt. Plewman and Geo. Gill the reversion of the messuage, barn, garden and croft in Acome, after the death of Alice, his wife, to the use of Geo. Gill and Joan Gill, his children. Fine [unspecified].

Robt. Gill also surrendered per Robt. Plewman and Geo. Gill the reversion of 1 oxgang of land in Acome, after the death of Alice, his wife, to the use of John Gill, his son. Fine [unspecified].

Peter Skadlocke surrendered per John Burdux and Geo. Skadlocke 1 dail of meadow in Holgait in the Twenty Pennye Enge, 1 dail in the Romyng Sykes, 1 dail in the Follye Nylne Feilde, and 1 Byland on the Howe with the common pertaining to an oxgang of land in Holgait, except the *eatinge* in the Enge Hedge to the use of Wm. Plewman. Fine [unspecified].

Peter Skadlocke surrendered per John Burdux and John Gill a cottage and garden in Acome to the use of Wm. Vessey. Fine [unspecified].

Presentments.

Robt. Nicholsone for an affray and drawing blood of Adam Gill	3s.	4d.
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Hugh Lepputone and Wm. Tanker for cutting John Englyebye's <i>thorns</i> and taking them to sell in York	each	8d.
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Hy. Leppington, Wm. Tanker, Thos. Simkinsone, Ric. Fawcet, Thos. Smithe, brewer, Wm. Navisone, Wm. Vessey, Mrs. Vessey, Adam Skadlocke, John Gill, and Thos. Woode for breaking John Englebye's hedges each 4d.

Penalties. [in English].

No inhabitant of Acome or Holgait to cut down his neighbours' *quicquod*¹ each 4d.

No inhabitant of Acome to have more than 2 loads of turves for every messuage or 1 load for every cottage .. per load 10s. 0d.

No inhabitant of Acome to *geat* any *whynnes* from between Dickhorne Close and Gravell Hells .. per burden, 12d., per load 10s. 0d.

No inhabitant of Acome or Holgait to *geat* or carry away any *whynnes* from Holgait More between now and the feast of St. Michael next [Sept. 29] .. per burden, 12d., per *loid* 10s. 0d.

For every swine taken in Holgait Feild the owner to pay 2d.

Robt. Hill to pay Wm. Hill 15d. p.a. for 3 acres of land; to enter on Whit Sunday and pay his first rent; not to have any part of the *etage* and to discharge Robt. Hill against the Queen and the lord of the manor.

Thos. Ellisone was found to owe Hy. Gill 20s. and 1d. damages and 3d. expenses.

Total profits of this court, [blank].

Court Baron with View of Frankpledge, Monday, 10 Oct. 17 Eliz. [1575] before Lawrence Grene, steward.

Jurors. Robt. Spacye, Robt. Plewman, Wm. Hill, Thos. Smythe, Lancelot Swaille, John Atkinsone, Robt. Hill, John Burdux, Geo. Skadlocke, Wm. Vesse, Adam Skadlocke, John Kirkbye, jnr., Robt. Johnisone, Stephen Skadlocke.

Complaints.

Ric. Dobsone against Robt. Franshe in a plea of land.

John Wilkinsone against John Gill in a plea of debt on demand of 12s. 6d. for 1 quarter of barley. The dft. attended in person and admitted the charge.

Eliz. Bancke against Wm. Annisone in a plea of trespass on the grounds that he had killed one of her gilts worth 6s. to her loss of 6s. 8d. The dft. said he was not guilty and put himself on the homage. The plt. did likewise. The homage said the dft. was not guilty and the dft. was fined 4d. for a false claim.

Robt. Holgaite against Thos. Smythe in a plea of trespass on the grounds that the dft. had beaten and maltreated his wife causing

¹ Quickwood.

damages of 20s. The dft. denied the charge and put himself on the homage, as did the plt. Enquiry was made by the homage who said the dft. was not guilty. The plt. was fined 4d. for a false claim.

Robt. Spacye surrendered a messuage and 2 oxgangs of land in Acome in the tenure of the said Robt. and of Wm. Nabelsone, to the use of Catherine, his wife, for life. Fine 13s. 4d.

John Leightfoot surrendered per John Burdux and John Gill $\frac{1}{2}$ a. of land in Holgait, in the Peaseland Pitts, to the use of Thos. Slator. Fine 2s.

Alex. Skadlocke surrendered per Adam Skadlocke and John Kirkbye a cottage, barn, garden, a parcel of land and 1 a. called *Morelande* in Acome to the use of Roger Skadlocke. Fine 6s. 8d.

Edw. Wilkoke surrendered per Robt. Spacye and Wm. Hill 1 a. of land in Acome, of which $\frac{1}{2}$ a. lay in the Kell Lands and $\frac{1}{2}$ a. in the Marre, to the use of Wm. Newarke, gent. Fine 4s.

Adam Gill surrendered 3 a. of land in Acome to the use of Wm. Haxuppe, jnr. Fine 12s.

The homage said that Geo. Gill, late of Acome, died since the last court seised of 1 oxgang of land in Acome and that Geo. Gill, jnr. was his son and nearest heir and was under age. He came to the court and received the said oxgang etc. [In the margin] Fine 20s.

Presentments.

John Thackwray for an affray on Alice Nabelsone ..	3s.	4d.
John Thackwray and Geo. Gill for an affray on Thos. Warde each		20d.
Robt. Holgait for an affray on Geo. Skadlock ..	3s.	4d.
Wm. Plewman, miller, for taking excessive toll ..		12d.

Penalties. [in English].

All tenants of Acome and Holgait to make their <i>forefrunts</i> and <i>backfrunts</i> before All Saints' Day [Nov. 1] each		12d.
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They were also to scour their water sewers before All Saints' Day	3s.	4d.
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Everyone taking *whynnes* from between Gravell Hill and Dicke Horne Close Noucke to pay 10s. per load and 12d. per burden.

All tenants of Holgate to ring their swine before All Saints' Day per animal		2d.
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John Rawson of Acome to avoid ¹ Alison and Agnes, his daughters, before 20 Nov.	10s.	0d.
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Election of Officers.

For Acomb:— Thos. Smythe, constable, Robt. Plewman, byelawmen (*plebisitus*), Robt. Hill and Robt. Johnsone, ale tasters. Robt. Spacye and Robt. Plewman to see that all fences were repaired, water sewers scoured and swine ringed, penalty 12d. each. Thos. Olliver to see that the common well at the E. end was scoured and Thos. Smythe, brewer, to see that the well at the W. end was scoured.

¹ Send away.

For Holgait:— Geo. Skadlocke, ale taster, John Burdux, bailiff. John Carrocke and Hy. Plewman were to see that all fences were repaired, water sewers scoured and swine ringed. Penalty 12d. each. Total profits of this court, [blank].

Court Baron with View of Frankpledge 8 Oct. 18 Eliz. [1576] before Laurence Grene, steward.

Jurors. Robt. Spacye, Wm. Hill, Robt. Plewman, John Burdux, John Thackwraye, Thos. Smythe, Robt. Hill, Geo. Skadlocke, Hy. Gill, Wm. Vessey, Lancelot Swayll, Adam Gill, Stephen Skadlocke, John Kirkbye, snr.

Geo. Gill and Eliz., his wife, surrendered per Robt. Plewman and John Atkinsonne $\frac{1}{2}$ a. of land in Acome in Appletre Stubbe to the use of Wm. Haxupe. Fine 2s.

Robt. Johnsonne surrendered per Robt. Plewman and John Atkinsonne 2 a. of arable land in Holgate to the use of Margaret, his wife, for life. Fine 4s.

Anthony Atkinsone, brother and heir of Wm. Atkinsone, son and heir of Thos. Atkinsone had come before Peter Newark, esq., Wm. Newark, gent. and Lawrence Grene, steward, on 18 July 1576 and sought to be admitted, after the death of Wm. Atkinsone, to the reversion of a messuage and 2 oxgangs of land and meadow in Holgait, after the death of Thos. Atkinsone. Anthony Atkinsone was granted seisin by the steward. He then surrendered the reversion, after the death of Thos. Atkinsone, to the use of Rob. Frenshe and Mary, his wife. Fine [unspecified].

Robt. Johnsonne surrendered per Robt. Plewman and John Atkinsone $\frac{1}{2}$ a. of land in Holgait Feild in Maydyne Gryse Pitts, after the death of Margaret, his wife, to the use of Humphrey Guye. Fine 2s.

Wm. Atkinsone died seised of the reversion of a messuage and 2 oxgangs of land in Holgait after the death of Thos. Atkinsone of York, merchant, and Anthony Atkinsone was his brother and nearest heir. The steward granted seisin to Anthony. It was found that on 3 Sept. 17 Eliz. [1575] the latter had surrendered the reversion per John Kirkbye, snr. and John Kirkbye, jnr. to the use of Hy. Dobsone. Fine 40s.

Penalties. [in English].

Robt. Hill and Wm. Hill to see where there were faults in fences, <i>forefrunts</i> or <i>backfrunts</i> between neighbour and neighbour	for every default	12d.
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All inhabitants of Acome to ring their swine before All Hallows Day [Nov. 1]	for every default	4d.
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Robt. Holgait and Wm. Beane to see that all hedges, <i>forfrunts</i> and <i>backfrunts</i> were made up	for every default	12d.
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Robt. Webster to put away his bitch before All Saints' Day		10s. 0d.
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Election of Officers.

For Acome:— Adam Gill, constable, Wm. Haxuppe and Ric. Shiptone, bailiffs, Stephen Skadlocke and Robt. Boulton, ale tasters. Hy. Gill to scour the well at the W. end and Adam Gill at the E. end.

For Holgait:— Geo. Skadlocke, constable, John Vesse, bailiff, John Burdux, ale taster.

Total profits of this court, [blank].

Court Baron with View of Frankpledge held on the feast of St. Philip and St. James the Apostles, 18 Eliz. [1 May 1576] before Lawrence Grene, steward.

Jurors. Thos. Smythe, Robt. Spacye, Robt. Plewman, Wm. Hill, John Burdux, Geo. Skadlocke, Robt. Hill, Wm. Haxupe, John Gill, Hy. Gill, Stephen Skadlocke, Wm. Vessey, Adam Skadlocke, John Thackwraye.

Complaints.

Wm. Vessey against Robt. Hill on the grounds that he had agreed to sell him 1 a. of land. The dft. denied that he done so and put himself on the homage. The plt. did likewise. The homage said the dft. was not guilty.

Robt. Swinbanke against John Gill in a plea on demand of 5 measures of rye and $5\frac{1}{2}$ measures of corn worth 4 marks. John Gill admitted the charge.

Thos. Rooute against John Vesse that he had made a *per*¹ of shoes which were unworkmanlike (*non artificialiter*). The dft. denied the charge and put himself on the homage. The plt. did likewise. The homage said the dft. had not made the shoes skilfully and assessed damages at 6d. and the court's costs at 2d. The dft. was fined 4d.

Hy. Plewman against Robt. Holgate in a plea that he should deliver to him 3 measures of rye worth 6s. which he wrongly withheld. The dft. said he did not owe the plt. 3 measures of rye and put himself on the homage. The plt. did likewise. The homage said the dft. was guilty and assessed damages at 2d. and the court's costs at 1d. The dft. was fined 4d.

Thos. Cockburne against Adam Gill in a plea that he should pay the 6s. 8d. that he owed and wrongly withheld. The dft. denied that he owed the money and put himself on the homage. The plt. did likewise. The homage said the dft. owed the plt. 3s. 4d. and assessed damages at 2d. and the court's costs at 1d. The dft. was fined 4d.

Stephen Skadlocke surrendered per Adam Gill and Lancelot Swayle $\frac{1}{2}$ acre called a *Mylne Styne* and $\frac{1}{2}$ acre called a *Kell Land* in Acome to the use of Wm. Newark, gent. Fine 4s.

Stephen Skadlocke surrendered per John Atkinsone and Lancelot Swayle a rood of land called a *Holgait Rood* in Acome to the use of Thos. Smythe, brewer. Fine 12d.

¹ Pair.

Adam Skadlocke surrendered per Robt. Plewman and Robt. Hill an oxgang of land in Acome in the tenure of Robt. Plewman and Adam Gill to the use of Wm. Hill after the death of Eliz. Burdux, widow. Fine 20s.

Thos. Sandwith surrendered per John Kirkbye, snr. and John Kirkby, jnr. 1 a. of meadow in Acome called a *Clifton Acare* to the use of Robt. Sandwith, bower, for 21 yrs. from the feast of St. Martin in Winter last past [Nov. 11], paying a rent of 2d. p.a. Fine 10s.

Presentments.

Hugh Leppington for an affray on Wm. Tankerd .. 3s. 4d.

John Carrocke for not seeing that the fences were made and the *watter* sewers scoured as both he and Hy. Plewman were ordered at the last court, held 10 Oct. 18 Eliz. [1576, *sic*. – should be 17 Eliz. 1575] .. 12d.

Peter Newarke, esq. for shooting at a dog with a *crosse bowe*¹ on 12 Apl. 18 Eliz. [1576] .. [blank]

And for shooting a *busserd* with a *crosse bowe* on 1 Mar. 18 Eliz. [1576] .. [blank]

And for shooting a crow with a *crosse bowe* on 20 Dec. 18 Eliz. [1575] .. [blank]

Penalties.

Thos. Tayllor to *bowe*² his cow for breaking hedges within 6 days .. 6s. 8d.

Robt. Boulton to *bowe* his *haucked stirk*³ to prevent him breaking the hedges into the cornefeilde .. 6s. 8d.

Robt. Spacye, Adam Gill and Thos. Tayller to put away their unlawful *doodges* [?] before Whit Sunday for every *doodge* 3s. 4d.

No inhabitant of Acome to cut or carry away any *whynnes* from between Dicke Horne Nouke and Gravell Hill .. 12d. per burden, per load 10s. 0d.

No inhabitant of Acome to get more turves from Acome Moor than 2 loads for every messuage and 1 load for every cottage .. per load 6s. 8d.

Peter Skadlocke to put away a scabbed horse before 13 May .. 20s. 0d.

No inhabitant of Acome to go or make any *heye wayes* over closes or garths around Acome .. 3s. 4d.

A fine of 2d. to be paid for every swine taken in Holgat Cornefeilds.

Court Baron with View of Frankpledge 22 Apl. 19 Eliz. [1577] before Laurence Grene, steward.

Jurors. Robt. Watson, Robt. Spacye, Robt. Plewman, Thos. Smythe, husb[andman], Wm. Hill, Geo. Skadlocke, Adam Gill,

¹ See note 1, p. 42.

² Bow – a piece of wood to hinder an animal from breaking hedges.

³ A yearling bullock suffering from a skin disease, blains.

John Thackwraye, John Kirkby, John Burdux, Robt. Hill, John Gill, John Carroke.

Peter Newarke, esq. surrendered $\frac{1}{2}$ a. of arable land in Acome in Colte Halfe Acres between the land of Peter Newarke on N. and Robt. Hill on S. to the use of Robt. Hill. Fine [illegible].

Robt. Hill surrendered $\frac{1}{2}$ a. in Acome, in the Marres, between the land of Peter Newarke and that lately of Luke Austen to the use of Peter Newarke. Fine 2s.

Robt. Nottingham was the nearest heir of Wm. Nottingham, his brother, who died seised of 2 cottages and lands in Acome.

Presentments.

Wm. Vesse for an affray against John Vesse, his son ..	3s.	4d.
John Vesse for drawing blood of Wm. Vesse, his father	6s.	8d.
Robt. Bolton for not doing his duty in <i>fining</i> ¹ of ayll ..		12d.
Wm. Plewman for receiving more <i>multer</i> than he ought from Robt. Hill, John Gill, Wm. Hill, John Thackwray and Robt. Spacye	2s.	0d.

Penalties. [in English].

Edw. Smythe, John Vesse, Thos. Wood, Wm. Nabelsone and Wm. Muncton not to allow their wives to chide or scold with their neighbours each 3s. 4d.

Eliz. Banke not to chide or scold with her neighbours and to *kepe hir house in the neight season and not be an esinge droper* under mens' windows 5s. 0d.

No tenant of Acome or Holgait to dig turves within the Knowle and Cowbridge gott [?] .. per load 3s. 4d.

Thos. Olliver, Peter Skadlocke and Stephen Skadlocke not to lodge any vagabonds, rogues or beggars without licence of the bailiff or constable each 5s. 0d.

No tenant within the lordship to get any *may* [?] *whinnes* on Acomb Moor on this side of the Gravell Hilles except as was customary 10s. 0d.

They were to take turves only as was customary .. 10s. 0d.

All inhabitants of Holgait were to keep their swine out of the closes and cornfields 4d.

Robt. Boulton to do his duty in *fininge* of *ayll* until Michaelmas 4d.

Robt. Frenshe to build up a messuage in Holgate and make it tenantable before May Day 1578 or else it was to be seised into the lord's hands.

Election of Officers.

John Thackwraye and Adam Gill to see that no inhabitants of Acome and Holgait received more *turfes* and *whines* than they ought. Penalty 12d. each.

¹ Making clear. *O.E.D.*

The jurors said that Robt. Nottingham was the nearest heir of Wm. Nottingham, his brother. The said Wm. had died seised of 2 cottages, $\frac{1}{2}$ acre and $\frac{1}{2}$ oxgang of land in Acome. Fine 15s.

Total profits of this court, . . . [blank].

View of Frankpledge with Court Baron 16 Oct. 19 Eliz. [1577] before Laurence Grene, steward.

Jurors. Wm. Holgate, Robt. Plewman, Robt. Spacie, Wm. Hill, Thos. Smythe, John Burdux, Robt. Holgate, Lancelot Swayle, Geo. Skadlock, John Gill, Wm. Haxupe, Wm. Vesseye, Adam Skadlocke, Stephen Skadlocke.

Complaint.

John Ledell against Stephen Skadlocke in a plea of debt on demand of 1 quarter of barley worth 7s. The dft. came into court and freely admitted the charge.

Thos. Smythe, labourer, surrendered per John Gill and Lancelot Swaile 1 r. of land in Acome, in Holgate Roods, to the use of Hy. Gill. Fine 12d.

Roger Skadlocke surrendered per Lancelot Swale and Wm. Vessey a cottage, barn and 2 gardens in Acome to the use of Geo. Walker. Fine 3s. 4d.

Geo. Skadlocke and Agnes, his wife, surrendered per Robt. French and John Burdux 2 a. of arable land and meadow in Holgate to the use of John Skadlocke. Fine 8s.

It is enrolled that Roger Metcalfe, gent., on 6 Jan. 19 Eliz. [1577] surrendered a messuage, garden, barn and 3 oxgangs of land in Acome to the use of Peter Newarke for 21 yrs. as by copy of court roll dated 21 Oct. 3 Eliz. [1561]. Peter Newarke had surrendered the said term to Geo. Marshall as by copy dated 20 Oct. 4 Eliz. [1562] which term Thos. Smythe had by good assurance. Roger Metcalfe had afterwards surrendered the premises to the use of Thos. Smythe, after the 21 yrs. granted to Peter Newarke, for a further 21 yrs. at 28s. p.a. rent. At this court Thos. Smythe, in consideration of £20 paid to him by Robt. Plewman and Hy. Plewman, surrendered the said 3 oxgangs to them per Peter Newarke, esq., Wm. Newarke, gent. and Robt. Spacye. Robt. Plewman to hold 2 oxgangs from Michaelmas 1578 and Hy. Plewman 1 oxgang from the said feast for the remainder of the term, and to enter the *fallows* before the said feast according to agricultural custom. They to pay Thos. Smythe 30s. p.a. Fine 25s.

The jurors said that it was the custom that if any tenant surrendered lands or tenements to another and did not present the surrender at either of the next two courts the surrender was void.

Total profits of this court, . . . [blank].

Court Baron with View of Frankpledge 23 Apl. 28 Eliz. [1578] by Lady Isabel Hall, farmer thereof.

Jurors. Wm. Holgate, gent., Robt. Watsone, Robt. Spacie, Robt. Plewman, Wm. Hill, Robt. Hill, John Burdux, Geo. Gill, Geo. Skadlocke, Hy. Gill, Wm. Haxupe, John Gill, John Kirkby, snr., Wm. Vesseye, John Kirkbye, jnr.

Complaints.

Thos. Middeltone against John Gill in a plea of debt for 5 measures of rye worth 16s. 4d. The latter, when summoned, confessed to owing 3 measures but not the remainder. The jurors said he owed 1 measure more and assessed the 4 measures at 8s. and costs at 3d.

Leo. Garner against John Gill in a plea of debt for $\frac{1}{2}$ quarter of barley worth 7s. The dft. confessed and was assessed by the jurors at 6s. 8d. and 3d. for expenses.

Hy. Gill against Alice Thackwraye, executor of the will of John Thackwraye, in a plea of debt for 3s. 4d. for his title to $1\frac{1}{2}$ oxgangs of land which the plt. had from John Inglebye, esq. [She said] she did not owe it. The jurors said she owed the 3s. 4d. and she was fined [amount unspecified].

Hy. Dobsone against Robt. Frenche and Mary, his wife, in a plea of land and determined to pursue his complaint in a writ of right. He alleged that they had wrongfully dispossessed him of a messuage and 2 oxgangs of land in Holgate.

They were summoned to the next court to reply to the charge.

John Holgate surrendered per Wm. Hill, John Kirkbye, snr. and John Kirkbye, jnr. a waste messuage with a toft and croft in Holgate and 2 oxgangs of land in Holgate fields to the use of Wm. Holgate, gent. Fine 46s. 8d.

Stephen Skadlocke surrendered per Wm. Vesseye and Hy. Gill $\frac{1}{2}$ a. of land in the Farefeilde of Acomb to the use of Geo. Gill. Fine 14d.

Since the last court Adam Gill had died seised of a messuage and an oxgang of land in Acomb and Janet Hill, wife of Robt. Hill of Acomb, was his sister and nearest heir. Fine 20s.

Since the last court John Thackwraye, jnr. had died seised of a cottage and an acre of land in Acome and Wm. Thackwraye was his son and nearest heir and was about 4 yrs. old. Wm. Thackwraye, per Alice Thackwraye, his mother and guardian, was admitted. Fine 3s. 4d.

Since the last court Lancelot Swaile had died seised of a messuage and an oxgang of land in Acomb and Peter Swaile was his son and nearest heir and was about 11 yrs. old. Fine 20s. The lady of the manor having care for the education and custody of the said Peter and his lands during his minority and trusting the industry, diligence and circumspection of Christiana Smythe of Acome, widow of Thos. Smythe of Acome, to whom custody of the said Peter and his lands was committed by Lancelot Swaile, his father, appointed the said Christiana, at her special request, to be the tutor and guardian of Peter Swaile. She was to educate him honourably and provide him

with food, drink and clothing and other necessities during his minority and pay to him when he came of age 13s. 4d. p.a. from the feast of St. Martin next [Nov. 11] as rent for his aforesaid land.

Isabel Applebye of Clifton surrendered per Robt. Watsone and John Kirkbye a cottage, garden and *garthe* in Clifton, now in the occupation of John Marshall of Cliftone, to the use of Wm. Calome of York, draper. Fine 5s.

Presentments. [in English].

Hy. Pleweman for not repairing his fences in Holgate	12d.
Jas. Gelderde for the like offence	12d.
Alice Thackwraye for keeping a <i>salt bitch</i> ¹ in Acome	
after warning	3s. 4d.
Ric. Lathome for an assault and affray with <i>blowde</i>	
on Wm. Johnsone	10s. 0d.

Penalties. [in English].

The inhabitants of Acome not to fell any <i>whines</i>	
between Skewe yate and Gravell Hills	
every load, 10s. every burden	12d.
They were not to dig more turves than 2 loads for	
every messuage and one load for every cottage	3s. 4d.
Alice Thackwraye, before May day, to get rid of a	
<i>mastys that she kepethe beinge a unlawfull dog</i>	6s. 8d.
Inhabitants of Holgate not to allow their swine in the	
cornfield	4d.
None were to get <i>whynes</i> on Holgate Moor	4d.

Court Baron 24 Sept. 20 Eliz. [1578].

Robt. Frenche and Mary, his wife, were summoned by the bailiff and appeared in court to reply to Hy. Dobsone's charge [as above]. They sought licence to confer until the next court, which was granted.

Court and View of Frankpledge, Wed., 15 Oct. 20 Eliz. [1578] by Lady Isabel Hall, farmer thereof.

Essoins. Geo. Cawood, vicar of Acome was excused by Thos. Butt, Guy Cooke by Stephen Skadlocke, Wm. Harringtone by Hy. Granger, Robt. Levell, gent. by Wm. Peresone, Margaret Skipseye by John Carter, Abraham Prestone by Anne, his wife.

Jurors. Guy Jacksone, Wm. Holgate, Robt. Watsone, John Gill, John Kirkbye, Robt. Plewman, Geo. Skadlocke, Wm. Vesseye, John Mettame, Robt. Wright, Hy. Granger, John Marshall, Wm. Haxupe, Ric. Shiptone, Wm. Plewman.

Complaints.

Wm. Newarke against Geo. Gill in a plea of debt on demand of 26s. for money borrowed. The dft. confessed his debt.

¹ A bitch on heat.

Adam Skadlocke against Stephen Skadlocke in a plea of debt for 15s. 6d., 14s. for a quarter of barley and 18d. for a measure of peas. The dft. confessed his debt.

Geo. Gill against Chris. Thackwraye in a plea of debt on demand for 23s. 4d. which the dft. owed him for the rent of an oxgang of land for 3½ yrs. payable at Whitsuntide last or the date of the present court, causing a loss to the plt. of 5s. The dft. denied the debt. The homage said that he owed the plt. 23s. 4d. and ordered him to pay 4d. for the loss and 2d. court costs.

Hy. Dobsone against Robt. Frenche and Mary, his wife. They appeared per Fran. Killingbecke, their attorney, and were granted licence to confer until the next court.

Stephen Skadlocke surrendered 3 r. of land in Acome, of which ½ a. called a Pyne lay in the Farefeilde and a rood called the *Long Rood* lay in the West Feilde near the Carr, to the use of Roger Skadlocke. Fine 2s.

Wm. Holgate surrendered a ruined messuage in Holgate to the use of Wm. Maskue for 21 yrs. from the feast of St. Martin in Winter next [Nov. 11] at a rent of 12d. p.a. Wm. Maskue agreed not to cut down any oak or ash trees. Fine 6s.

John Kirkbye, snr., in his last illness, surrendered per Wm. Holgate and Robt. Sandwithe half a messuage and an oxgang of land in Acome to the use of John Kirkbye, jnr., his son. Fine 10s.

John Kirkbye, snr. also surrendered half a messuage and an oxgang of land in Acome to the use of Alice, his wife, for life, remainder to John Kirkbye, jnr. his son. Fine 10s.

John Kirkbye, jnr. surrendered 2 half a. of land in Acome fields, one called an *Owsveve* and the other a *Hinginge Cliffe* to the use of Alice Wright and the heirs of her body, remainder to Jas. Wright. Fine 2s. 8d.

Thos. Palester surrendered per John Burdux and Robt. Pleweman a messuage and 2 oxgangs of land in Holgate to the use of Margaret, his wife, for life. Fine 26s. 8d.

Thos. Palester also surrendered the reversion of a messuage and 2 oxgangs of land in Holgate to the use of Jas. Pallester, his son, after the deaths of himself and Margaret, his wife. Fine 30s.

Thos. Pallester also surrendered the reversion of a cottage and a oxgang of land in Acomb to the use of Robt. Pallester, his son, after the deaths of himself and Margaret, his wife. Fine 20s.

Wm. Beane surrendered per John Burdeux and Robt. Holgate the moiety of a messuage barn, garden and 2 oxgangs of land in Holgate formerly in the tenure of Robt. Bisshope, and the moiety of 2 cottages and 3 a. of land to the use of Geo. Skadlocke for the remainder of a term of years which he had by the surrender of Robt. Gill and which the said Robt. had jointly with Robt. Pleweman as in the court roll of 14 Oct. 10 Eliz. [1568]. He was to pay the customary rents and services to the lady of the manor and the reserved rent to Robt. Gill as in the court roll. Fine 13s. 4d.

Election of Officers. [in English].

For Acome:— Hy. Gill, constable, Eliz. Burdeux, Grave (bailiff), Robt. Pleweman and Wm. Hill, *aile taisters*. For Holgate:— John Garrocke, constable, Robt. Frenche, grave, Geo. Skadlocke, *aile taister*.

Penalties. [in English].

Eliz. Burdeux was, before All Saints' Day [Nov. 1], to make open a *gripe*¹ at the Loskehose as it was formerly – Penalty 6s. 8d.

Total profits of this court, . . . [blank].

Court Baron with View of Frankpledge held on the feast of St. George the Martyr, 23 April 21 Eliz. [1579] by Lady Isabel Hall, farmer thereof.

Jurors. Robt. Spacye, Wm. Hill, Robt. Pleweman, Robt. Hill, John Burdeux, Robt. Holgate, Geo. Skadlocke, Hy. Gill, John Gill, snr., Stephen Skadlocke, Lancelot Skadlocke, Wm. Vesseye, Wm. Haxupe, Geo. Walker, Geo. Gill, snr.

Christiana Smythe, widow of Thos. Smythe, on 5 Nov. 20 Eliz. [1578] surrendered per Robt. Hill, John Atkinsone and Geo. Walker a messuage, barn and garth with appurtenances, viz. *whynes* and *turfes*, to the use of Wm. Hill for 12 yrs. from the feast of St. Martin in Winter next at a rent of 10s. p.a. Fine 5s.

Stephen Skadlocke surrendered per Peter Newarke and Robt. Spacye a rood of land called a *Pillye Trayne* in the Millfeilde of Acome to the use of Thos. Rutt. Fine 8d.

Robt. Prince and Christiana, his wife, guardian of Peter Swaille, surrendered a messuage and 1 oxgang of land in Acome to the use of Mark Davie from the feast of St. Martin last [Nov. 11] for 10 yrs. at a rent of 20s. p.a. Fine 10s.

At the court held 21 Oct. 3 Eliz. [1561] Roger Metcalf surrendered a messuage, garden and barn with appurtenances in Acome to the use of Peter Newarke, esq. from the feast of St. Martin in Winter [Nov. 11] 1562 for 21 yrs. He also surrendered at the court held 21 Apl. 16 Eliz. [1574] per Robt. Spacie and Geo. Gill the same messuage, garden and barn to the use of Thos. Smythe for 21 yrs. The steward granted the premises to Thos. Smythe to hold immediately after the term of 21 yrs. granted to Peter Newarke. Thos. Smythe had since died intestate. Robt. Prince and Christiana, his wife, lately widow of Thos. Smythe, and administrator of his goods and chattels, were now admitted as tenants for the 21 yrs. granted by Roger Metcalf to Thos. Smythe. Fine 5s.

Since the last court Robt. Watson had died seised of a messuage, 2 oxgangs of land, 2 cottages and 3 a. of land in Holgate. John Watson was his son and heir and was of age.

Presentments. [in English].

Robt. Prince for having a hedge not sufficiently fenced between John Atkinson's land and his own 3s. 4d.

¹ Gripp – a small drain.

Geo. Wilkinsone for putting his horses on Acome Moore	3s. 4d.
Nic. Acome for breaking hedges	2d.
Wm. Nabelsone and Thos. Smythe for putting cattle which were not their own on Acome Moor .. each	12d.
Wm. Nabelsone for breaking a <i>faulde</i> ¹	20d.
John Gill, jnr. for the same	20d.

Penalties. [in English].

Ric. Shiptone to lay down the <i>bawke</i> at Hob Moore he had <i>plewed</i> up before 3 May	20s. 0d.
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Geo. Wilkinsone of Copmanthorpe not to put goods or cattle on Acome Moore	40s. 0d.
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No one to get <i>casands</i> ² in Acome Carr	3s. 4d.
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Nic. Acome was ordered to break no more hedges ..	12d.
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Thos. Wright was ordered to break no more hedges	12d.
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All tenants on the north side of Acome to make a sufficient way at their <i>doers</i> along the length of their fronts before 1 Aug.	3s. 4d.
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No man to obtain *whynnes* from the near side of Gravell Hills and Dickherne Close under penalty of
10s. per load and 12d. per burden

Inhabitants of Acome to take no more turves from Acome Moor than 2 loads for a messuage and 1 load for a cottage per load	10s. 0d.
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No tenant to let a Cargate to anyone other than a tenant of the manor in the townships of Acome and Holgate	3s. 4d.
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No tenant to receive goods from strangers without the lordship	3s. 4d.
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Wm. Nabelsone and Thos. Smythe were, before 1 May, to get rid of all strange cattle they had taken ..	10s. 0d.
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Court Baron with View of Frankpledge 12 Oct. 21 Eliz. [1579] before John Hall, steward.

Jurors. Wm. Holgate, Robt. Spacie, Wm. Hill, John Atkinsone, Robt. Hill, Hy. Gill, Lancelot Skadlocke, John Burdeux, Robt. Holgate, Stephen Skadlocke, Wm. Haxupe, John Kirkbye, Wm. Nabelsone, John Gill, jnr., Wm. Shiptone.

At the court held 26 Apl. 10 Eliz. [1568] Roger Metcalf, gent. surrendered per Robt. Spacie and Geo. Marshall a messuage with a toft and croft and 2 oxgangs of land in Acome, then in the tenure of Lancelot Swaile, to the use of the said Lancelot for 23 yrs. from the feast of St. Martin in Winter next [Nov. 11] at a rent of 22s. p.a. At the court held on 11 Oct. 16 Eliz. [1574] Lancelot Swaile surrendered the property per Robt. Spacie and Geo. Gill to the use of Wm. Hill for [the remainder of] the 23 yrs. On 7 Aug. 21 Eliz.

¹ Fold, pound.

² See note, p. 29.

[1579] Roger Metcalf surrendered per Robt. Spacie and John Atkinsone the said premises, lately in the tenure of Lancelot Swaile and now of Wm. Hill to the use of Wm. Hill in reversion for 21 yrs. after the end of the 23 yrs. granted to Lancelot Swaile. He was to pay Roger Metcalf a rent of 22s. p.a. Fine 20s.

On 19 Aug. last Roger Metcalf surrendered per Wm. Hill and Robt. Plewman a messuage, garthe, barn and 3 oxgangs of arable land in Acome, in the tenure of Robt. Plewman, to the use of Margaret Vavasor, wife of Hy. Vavasor, esq. and the heirs of Margaret. Fine £3 5s. 0d.

Roger Metcalf also surrendered per Wm. Hill and Robt. Plewman, on 19 Aug. last, a messuage, house, garth, barn and 2 oxgangs of land in Acome, in the tenure of Wm. Hill, to the use of Dorothy Redeman, wife of John Redman, gent., and her heirs. Fine 45s.

On the same day Roger Metcalf also surrendered per Wm. Hill and Robt. Plewman a messuage, garth and croft, called the *Conygarthe*, in Acome, in the occupation of Peter Newarke, esq., to the use of Kath. Newarke. Fine 10s.

Roger Metcalf also surrendered per Wm. Hill and Robt. Plewman a cottage, croft and $\frac{1}{2}$ r. of land in Lodge Leyes in Acome, in the tenure of John Cawood, to the use of Peter Barber. Fine 6s. 8d.

John Vesseye surrendered per John Gill, snr., John Burdeux and Robt. Plewman the reversion of a messuage and 1 oxgang of land in Holgate after his death to the use of Dorothy Taillor for life. Fine 20s.

Lancelot Skadlocke surrendered per Robt. Spacie and Wm. Hill a cottage, barn and garthe in Acome to the use of Ellen, his wife, for life. Fine 5s.

Robt. Gaile, esq. surrendered per John Kirkbye and Wm. Shipton an oxgang of land in Acome to the use of Chris Thackwraye from Michaelmas last for 21 yrs. at 13s. 4d. p.a. Fine 13s. 4d.

Stephen Skadlocke surrendered per Thos. Rutt and John Kirkbye 1 r. of land called a *Whawe* and the Yng at the end thereof and another rood called a *Brode Henthorne* in Acome to the use of Wm. Wright. Fine 12d.

Stephen Skadlocke also surrendered per Robt. Holgate and Thos. Rutt $\frac{1}{2}$ a. called a *Husbandhawe* in Acome to the use of John Kirkbye. Fine 12d.

Stephen Skadlocke also surrendered per Wm. Hill and John Atkinsone a rood of land on the Melgats with appurtenances in Acome fields to the use of Roger Skadlocke. Fine 6d.

It was found at the court held on the feast of St. George, 23 Apl. 21 Eliz. [1579] that Robt. Watsone had, since the last court, died seised of a messuage, 2 oxgangs of land, 2 cottages and 3 a. of land in Holgate. John Watsone was his son and heir and was of age. Fine 53s. 4d.

Robt. Butterye had, since the last court, died seised of 1 a. of land called *Clifton Acre*. Wm. Butterie was his son and heir and was about 18 yrs. of age.

Since the last court Peter Swaile had died seised of a messuage and 1 oxgang of land in Acomb. Thos. Swaile was his brother and nearest heir and was about 6 yrs. of age.

John Richardstone had died since the last court seised of a messuage and adjoining hut (*canabaria*) in Acombe. Thos. Bawmfurthe was his cousin and nearest heir and was about 14 yrs. of age.

[See above, 23 Apl. 1579, p. 65]. It was now found that on 10 July 21 Eliz. [1579] Robt. Prince and Christiana, his wife, had surrendered the premises [a messuage, garden and barn] per Robt. Spacie, John Kirkbye and Hy. Pleweman to the use of Robt. Pleweman for the term of years aforesaid. Fine 5s. [?].

Presentments. [in English].

Robt. Frenche for not mending the fences between his land and Nic. Hodgstone's as ordered	3s. 4d.
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Robt. Frenche for suing John Kirkbye, Robt. Spacie and Ric. Shiptone in a foreign court without the licence of the lord of the manor	10s. 0d.
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Penalties. [in English].

John Gill to make a sufficient <i>gripe</i> ¹ on the Brode Loscers between his land and that of Reynolde's wife before Martinmas next	6s. 8d.
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Wm. Vesseye not to mow the <i>swarthe</i> on the near side of the Weete Lande towards the West Yngs ..	6s. 8d.
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Total for this court, . . . [blank].

Court Baron with View of Frankpledge 18 April 22 Eliz. [1580] before John Hall, steward.

Jurors. Wm. Holgate, Robt. Spacie, John Gill, snr., John Burdeux, Robt. Pleweman, Ric. Shiptone, Robt. Frenche, Lancelot Skadlocke, Adam Skadlocke, Hy. Gill, Geo. Skadlocke, Wm. Haxupe, Wm. Shiptone, Thos. Rutt, Thos. Slater.

Robt. Gaile, esq. surrendered per John Kirkbye and Wm. Pleweman a messuage in Holgate in the tenure of Robt. Holgate and an oxgang of land in Acome to the use of Thos. Parker of York, draper. Fine 30s.

Stephen Skadlocke surrendered per Robt. Spacie and John Kirkbye 1 r. of land in the Westefilde of Acome near the Skewe Bawke Lande to the use of Wm. Wright. Fine 6d.

At the court held at Acome 29 Apl. 3 Eliz. [1561] Guy Cooke surrendered per John Kirkbye and Geo. Gill a messuage, barn, garden and close with a toft and croft and 2 oxgangs of land in Holgate, formerly in the tenure of Wm. Grave and then of John Burdeux, husbandman, to the use of John Burdeux from the feast of St. Martin in Winter next [Nov. 11] for 21 yrs. at a rent of 30s. p.a. John Burdeux was to repair the roof with straw and mortar as necessary but the main timbers were to be repaired by Guy Cooke.

¹ See note, p. 65.

Guy Cooke now surrendered the reversion of the premises to the use of John Burdeux from the feast of St. Martin in Winter 1582 for 21 yrs. at 30s. p.a. rent. Fine 26s. 8d.

Wm. Newarke had, since the last court, died seised of a cottage with a toft and croft in Holgate and 2 a. of arable land in Acome. Peter Newarke was his cousin and nearest heir. Fine 12s.

Presentments. [in English].

Hy. Rundall and Ric. Butterfeilde, servants of Simon Butterfeilde, for making an affray on Stephen Skadlocke	3s.	4d.
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Wm. Marstone for not mending his fences between his land and Stephen Skadlocke's		4d.
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Thos. Smythe, brewer, for allowing other men's children and servants to eat hens in his house in the night time		12d.
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Total for this court, . . . [blank].

Court Baron with View of Frankpledge held on the feast of St. Luke the Evangelist 18 Oct. 22 Eliz. [1580] before John Hall, steward.

Pleas.

Wm. Calame against John Gill in a plea of debt on demand for 15s., viz. for 4½ virgates¹ of *Black Frere* 4s. 6d., 2 virgates of *White Carseye* 2s. 10d., 1 virgate of *White Carseye* 20d. and 3 virgates of *Narrowe Rede* 6s. The dft. attended in person and admitted his debt.

Wm. Gibsone against Stephen Skadlocke in a plea of debt on demand for a bill of 26s. The dft. attended in person and acknowledged the action and bill.

John Nottingham and Robt. Nottingham, executors of the Will of Robt. Nottingham, deceased, against John Gill, snr. in a plea of debt on demand of 11s. 8d. for 5 sheep bought by him from the testator. The dft. denied the debt. The jurors said he owed 7s. of the 11s. 8d. and [he was to pay] 4d. costs.

Jurors. Wm. Holgate, Robt. Spacie, Robt. Plewman, Robt. Hill, Geo. Cowper, Wm. Hill, John Kirkbye, John Burdeux, Robt. Holgate, Ric. Shiptone, Hy. Gill, Wm. Haxupe, Wm. Vesseye, Wm. Shiptone, John Vesseye.

Peter Barber surrendered per Thos. Rutt and John Atkinsone a cottage, *garth* and a Lodge Lee in Acome to the use of Peter Newarke. Fine 5s.

On 12 Oct. 21 Eliz. [1579] it was found that Peter Swaile had died seised of a messuage and 1 oxgang of land in Acome and that Thos. Swaile was his brother and nearest heir and was about 6 yrs. of age. Fine 20s. Fealty was respited until he became of age.

At the same court it was found that John Richardsone had died seised of a messuage and adjacent hut in Acome and that Thos.

¹ Virgate – yard. Frere – frieze, a coarse woollen cloth with a nap on one side. Carseye, kersey – a coarse woollen cloth, usually ribbed. Rede, reed – a piece of whalebone etc. for stiffening the skirt or waist of a woman's dress.

Bawmefurthe was his cousin and nearest heir and was about 14 yrs. of age. Fine 6s. Fealty respited until he became of age.

Election of Officers.

For Acome:— Constable, Robt. Pleweman. Graves, Wm. Hill and John Gill, jnr. Ale tasters, Thos. Rutt and Cuthbert Tipladye. Well scourers, Thos. Olyver for the E. end and Ric. Shiptone for the W. end. For Holgate:— Constable, John Burdeux. Grave, Robt. Palleser. Ale taster, John Vesseye.

Penalties. [in English].

No inhabitant of Acome or Holgate to fell any <i>whynnes</i> on Holgate Little More	
Penalty 10s. for every load and for every burden	12d.
They were not to dry any hemp in their fire houses or in any oven	3s. 4d.
They were not to thresh corn in their <i>laithes</i> by candle-light	10s. 0d.
No inhabitant of Acome to fell any <i>whynnes</i> between Dichorne Close and Gravell Hill	
Penalty 10s. for every load and for every burden	12d.
Total for this court, [blank].	

Court Baron with View of Frankpledge, Monday, [*sic*] 16 April 23 Eliz. [1581].

Essoins. Robt. Cartwright by Wm. Nabilson, Guy Cooke by John Burdeux.

Default of Suit of Court. Ric. Stapleton, kt., John Inglebye, esq., John Weddell, Hy. Vavasor, esq., Thos. Sandwith and Thos. Palleser were each fined 4d.

Jurors. Wm. Holgate, Robt. Holgate, Wm. Hill, Robt. Hill, John Burdeux, Robt. Pleweman, Ric. Shiptone, Robt. Spacie, Robt. Nottingham, Wm. Burdeux, Wm. Plewman, Geo. Scadlocke, Wm. Haxup, John Gill, jnr., Adam Gill.

Stephen Skadlock surrendered per Wm. Holgate and Thos. Rutt $\frac{1}{2}$ a. of land called a *Gilderskar* in the Chappell Feild of Acome with the meadow pertaining to the use of John Kirkbye. Fine 16d.

Robt. Hill surrendered per Wm. Hill and Ric. Shiptone $\frac{1}{2}$ r. of land called a *Bekbitt* in the Chappell Feild of Acome and $\frac{1}{2}$ r. in Hobmore next to Hy. Gill's land to the use of Hy. Gill. Fine 8d.

Hy. Gill surrendered per Wm. Hill and Ric. Shiptone 1 r. of land in Hobmoore called a *Brotte* and $\frac{1}{2}$ r. of land called a *Little Losker* next the highway called Rufforthe Waye to the use of Robt. Hill. Fine 8d.

Robt. Hill surrendered per Wm. Hill and Ric. Shipton $\frac{1}{2}$ r. of land in Hobmoore next the land of Wm. Haxup to the use of Chris. Thackwraye. Fine 6d.

Chris Thackwraye surrendered $\frac{1}{2}$ r. of land in Hobmoore next the land of Wm. Haxup to the use of Nic. Hodgesone. Fine 6d.

Stephen Skadlock surrendered per John Kirkbye and Thos. Slater $\frac{1}{2}$ a. of land called a *Brode Marr*, on the Marres in the West Field of Acome, to the use of Wm. Wright. Fine 16d.

Robt. Frenche and Mary, his wife, surrendered per John Burdeux and Robt. Holgate the reversion of a messuage and barn with a toft and croft and 2 oxgangs of land in Holgate, after their death, to the use of Robt. Franche, their son. Fine 46s. 8d. Fealty respited until he came of age.

Stephen Skadlock surrendered per John Burdeux and Robt. Holgate 1 a. of land in Acome fields next to Hobmoore called the *Mooreland*, between the land of Wm. Holgate and Widow Burdeux to the use of Nic. Hodgesone. Fine 2s. 8d.

John Skadlock surrendered per John Burdeux and John Kirkbye 2 a. in Holgate fields, viz. Withe Buske, $\frac{1}{2}$ a.; Stele Butt, 1 r.; Rayne Land, 1 r.; a Garbrede, $\frac{1}{2}$ a.; and a Half Langland, $\frac{1}{2}$ a., to the use of Wm. Maskewe. Fine 5s.

Thos. Parker of York, draper, surrendered a messuage in Holgate in the tenure of Robt. Holgate and 1 oxgang of land in Acome fields to the use of John Wilkynsone, son of Geo. Wilkynsone of Copmanthorpe. Fine 26s. 8d.

John Atkinsone died seised of 1 oxgang of land in Acome fields. John Atkinsone was his son and nearest heir and was about $2\frac{1}{2}$ yrs. of age.

Presentments. [in English].

Robt. Frenche for not scouring his water sewer in Holgate Feild according to the old penalty	3s.	4d.
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Also for ploughing up a <i>dowle</i> ¹ stone between Wm. Holgate's land and is own and ploughing up the ground	3s.	4d.
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Thos. Gill for making an affray on Thos. Frith	3s.	4d.
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Penalties. [in English].

Robt. Frenche was to encroach no further upon the Forbye Ynge towards the Folly Mylne but was to plough as far as the 12 men laid down and no further	20s.	0d.
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Jane Smithe, wife of Thos. Smithe, was to cease scolding with her neighbours	3s.	4d.
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Wm. Haxup to scour his water sewer leading by the well before St. Ellenmas [All Souls, Nov. 2?]	3s.	4d.
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Court Baron with View of Frankpledge Wed. [sic] 21 Oct. 23 Eliz. [1581].

Essoins. Hy. Vavasoe and Margaret, his wife, by Robt. Plewman.

Default of Suit of Court. Ric. Stapletone, kt., John Inglebye, esq., Wm. Inglebye, esq., John Weddell, Robt. Frenche, Stephen Skadlock, Thos. Sandwith and Thos. Nottingham were each fined 4d.

Jurors. Wm. Holgate, John Gill, sen., Robt. Hill, Geo. Cowper, John Burdeux, Robt. Holgate, Robt. Plewman, Ric. Shiptone, Wm.

¹ Boundary stone. *O.E.D.*

Shiptone, Wm. Haxupe, Wm. Wright, Geo. Scadlock, Roger Scadlock, John Gill, jnr.

Peter Newark, esq., surrendered a messuage, garden, barn and croft and 2 oxgangs of land in Acome, in the tenure of Wm. Hill, to the use of Thos. Hill, son of the said Wm. Fine 40s. Fealty respited until he came of age.

Stephen Skadlock surrendered per Robt. Nottingham and Geo. Gill $\frac{1}{2}$ a. of land called *Over Ryse* in the Farfeild of Acome to the use of Chris. Thackwraye. Fine 12d.

At the court held at Acome on 12 Oct. 21 Eliz. [1579] Robt. Gaile, esq., surrendered per John Kirkbye and Wm. Shiptone 1 oxgang of land in Acome to the use of Chris. Thackwraye from Michaelmas last for 21 yrs. at 13s. 4d. p.a. rent; it is now found that Chris Thackwraye has surrendered the above oxgang per Wm. Holgate and Wm. Wright to the use of the said Robt. Gaile for the remainder of the term of years whereby he was discharged from payment of the 13s. 4d. p.a. rent.

Presentments. [in English].

Robt. Pallester for an affray on a stranger	..	3s.	4d.
And for letting his fence fall down and his swine go into the cornfield	.. .. .	3s.	4d.
Hy. Watsons for an affray on Myles Taillor	..	3s.	4d.
Valery Darcy because his son carried a burden of <i>whynes</i> from Holgate Lyttle Moore	.. ..	12d.	
John Scadlock for letting his swine go in the cornfield		12d.	
Robt. Spacie for encroaching on <i>the Common Skewe Bawke</i>	.. .. .	12d.	

Penalties. [in English].

John Watsons and all other inhabitants of Acome to remove their fodder and all their *eldyne*¹ out of their fire houses before Martinmas next [Nov. 11] 20s. 0d.

Thos. Gill to depart from the town before the feast of St. Andrew [Nov. 30] 20s. 0d.

No inhabitant of Acome or Holgate to keep *undersettles*² in their fire houses under one roof with them but to remove them from their houses before Candlemas .. 20s. 0d.

No inhabitant of Acome or Holgate were to let any sheep go into the cornfield .. for every flock 3s. 4d.

Election of Officers. [in English]. Wm. Holgate, grave, for Acome and Holgate. Chris Thackwraye, constable for Acome. Wm. Pleweman and John Gyll, ale tasters for Acome. Robt. Pallester, constable for Holgate.

Total for this court, . . . [blank].

¹ Elden – fuel. *O.E.D.*

² Lodgers.

Court Baron with View of Frankpledge held on the feast of Philip and James the Apostles, 24 Eliz. [1 May 1582].

Essoins. Robt. Hill by Wm. Hill, Robt. Cartwright by Robt. Plewman, Robt. Nottingham by Roger Skadlock, Wm. Vesseye by Thos. Olyver.

Jurors. Robt. Spacye, John Gill, snr., Wm. Maskue, John Burdewx, John Kirkbye, Robt. Plewman, Robt. Holgate, Ric. Shiptone, Lancelot Skadlock, Wm. Plewman, Geo. Skadlock, Wm. Haxup, snr., Wm. Shiptone, Wm. Wright, Hy. Gill.

Stephen Skadloke surrendered per John Burdeux and Robt. Holgate $\frac{1}{2}$ a. of land in the Farfelld of Acome on the E. of Wm. Holgate's land called the *Long Half Acre* to the use of Nic. Hodge-sone. Fine 16d.

Stephen Skadloke also surrendered per Thos. Rutt and Geo. Gill $\frac{1}{2}$ a. of land in the Farrfelld of Acome called a *Midfourthe Land*, between the lands of Wm. Holgate on N. and Eliz. Burdeux on S., to the use of John Kirkbye. Fine 16d.

Stephen Skadlock also surrendered per Thos. Rutt and Geo. Gill $\frac{1}{2}$ a. of land in the Hobmoore Feild of Acome called a *Blake Bitt*, between the lands of Wm. Holgate on N. and Geo. Gill on S. to the use of Wm. Ireland. Fine 16d.

Stephen Skadlock also surrendered per Ric. Shiptone and Chris Thackwraye 3 *dailes* of meadow in Acome Yngs, one called the *First Daile* in the Yngs at the N. end, another called the *Cuthbert Hill* and the third called the *Last Daile* in the Flete, to the use of Lancelot Skadlock. Fine 16d.

John Wilkinsone surrendered a messuage, barn and garth in Holgate, in the tenure of Robt. Holgate, to the use of the said Robt. for 19 yrs. from Michaelmas next at a rent of 20s. p.a. Fine 12d.

Presentments. [in English].

Thos. Gill for not departing from Acome as ordered	20s.	0d.
Robt. Pallester for an affray on Thos. Sewhan	..	3s. 4d.
Thos. Sewhan for drawing blood of Robt. Pallester	6s.	8d.
Chris Thackwraye for an affray and drawing blood of		
Robt. Spacie	..	10s. 0d.
Thos. Olyver for harbouring vagrant persons	..	12d.

Penalties. [in English].

Mrs. Johnsonsone not to keep a little *stonid*¹ horse on the common but to put him away before Whitsuntide .. 6s. 8d.
Total of this court, [blank].

Court Baron with View of Frankpledge, Tuesday, 16 Oct. 24 Eliz. [1582].

Essoins. Hy. Vavasor by Robt. Plewman, Wm. Burdeux by John Burdeux, Geo. Cowper by Geo. Gill and Wm. Ireland by John Kirkbye.

¹ Stone horse – stallion. *O.E.D.*

Default of Suit of Court. Ric. Stapleton, kt., John Inglebye, esq., John Weddell, John Wilkinsone, John Kirkbye, Thos. Pallester, Wm. Shiptone, Geo. Gill, jnr. and Thos. Bamforthe were each fined 4d.

Jurors. Robt. Spacye, Robt. Plewman, John Burdeux, Wm. Hill, John Gill, snr., Robt. Hill, Geo. Skadlock, Hy. Gill, John Kirkbye, Wm. Plewman, Chris. Thackwraye, Lancelot Skadlock, Robt. Nottingham, Wm. Vesseye, John Gill, jnr.

Wm. Haxup, snr. surrendered per Robt. Holgate and John Burdeux $\frac{1}{2}$ a. of land in the Longe Lands in the North Feilde of Holgate, between lands of Guy Cooke on W. and John Watsone on E, to the use of Wm. Maskewe. Fine 18d.

Roger Skadlock surrendered 1 a. of land called a *Mooreland* in Acome to the use of Wm. Hill from the feast of St. Martin in Winter next [Nov. 11] for 21 yrs. at 2d. p.a. rent. Fine 2s.

Stephen Skadlock surrendered per Wm. Holgate and Chris. Thackwraye 1 r. of land called a *Dowdelbitt* in the Mylne Feild of Acome to the use of Nic. Hodgesone. Fine 8d.

Roger Skadlock surrendered per John Burdeux and Geo. Skadlock $1\frac{1}{2}$ a. of land in the Gravell Hole Felld of Holgate, of which 1 a. lay on the Crosslands and Sandlands, 1 r. called a *Gaire* and 1 r. called a *Stele Butt* lay in the Folly Mylne Felld, to the use of John Skadlock for 21 yrs. from the feast of St. Martin in Winter next at 2d. p.a. rent. Fine 3s.

Roger Skadlock also surrendered per Geo. Skadlock and John Skadlocke $\frac{1}{2}$ a. of land called a *Pyne* on the Pynes in the Farrfelld of Acome, 1 r. on the Melgats in the same field and 1 r. called *Long Roode* to the use of Lancelot Skadlock from the feast of St. Martin in Winter next paying to Roger 1d. p.a. rent. Fine 2s.

Stephen Skadlock surrendered per John Kirkbye and Thos. Rutt 1 Kargaite and 1 Felldgaite in Acome, lately belonging to an oxgang of land then in the tenure of Stephen Skadlock, to the use of Wm. Holgate. Fine 5s.

On 14 Oct. 10 Eliz. [1568] Wm. Robinsone, merchant, surrendered a messuage, barn and garden and 2 oxgangs of land in Holgate, lately in the occupation of Robt. Bisshoppe, and also 2 cottages and 3 a. of land in the occupations of Robt. Valarie and John Nixsone, to the use of Robt. Plewman and Robt. Gill for 21 yrs. from the feast of St. Martin in Winter next, paying him £4 p.a. rent and repairing the premises except the main timbers. It was now found that John Watsone had surrendered, per John Burdeux and John Kirkby, all the said premises to the use of Robt. Plewman and Geo. Skadlock in reversion after the 21 yrs. granted to them by Wm. Robinsone, on the same terms. Fine 40s.

Presentments. [in English].

Geo. Gill because his wife scolded with her neighbours	12d.
Wm. Nabelson and Adam Skadlocke likewise	each 12d.
Maud Daye, widow, for scolding	.. .. 12d.

John Willsonsone for not sending for the ale tasters and for keeping unlawful games in his house at several unlawful times	20d.
Wm. Hill for breaking the <i>pynfolde</i>	3s. 4d.
Peter Newarke, esq. for the like offence	3s. 4d.

Penalties. [in English].

All fences and water sewers in Acome to be made and scoured before Martinmas next [Nov. 11] ..	3s. 4d.
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No one to cut <i>Whynnes</i> between Dykorne Close and Gravell Hills ..	Penalty 10s. per load, per burden	12d.
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Geo. Gill's wife, Wm. Nablesone's wife, Adam Skadlock's wife and Maud Dayle not to scold with their neighbours	13s. 4d.
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All swine in Holgate to be ringed before Martinmas and to be kept out of the cornfield	4d.
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No one to get <i>whynes</i> from Holgate Lyttell Moore except those who ought to have them	Penalty 10s. per load, per burden	12d.
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Election of Officers.

For Acome:— Robt. Hill and John Watsone, graves, John Gill, jnr., constable, Robt. Hill and Thos. Firthe, ale tasters. For Holgate:— John Burdeux and Wm. Plewman, graves, John Vesseye, constable.

Total for this court, . . . [blank].

Court Baron with View of Frankpledge 11 April 25 Eliz. [1583].

Essoins. Robt. Nottingham by Ric. Shiptone.

Default of Suit of Court. Ric. Stapleton, kt., John Inglebye, esq., Wm. Inglebye, esq., John Wilkinsone, Thos. Bawmforthe and Wm. Ireland were each fined 4d.

Jurors. Wm. Maskewe, Robt. Hill, John Burdeux, Robt. Hollgate, Robt. Plewman, Robt. Spacye, Wm. Hill, Wm. Plewman, Hy. Gill, snr., Wm. Shiptone, Thos. Slater, Wm. Wright, Geo. Skadlocke.

Hy. Vavasar, esq. and Margaret, his wife, surrendered on 12 Dec. 25 Eliz. [1582] per Wm. Plewman and John Kirkbye, a messuage, garden, barn and 3 oxgangs of land in Acome to the use of Hy. Plewman. Fine £3. 10s.

Wm. Plewman surrendered per Thos. Rutt and John Gill, jnr., the reversion of a messuage, garth and 2 barns in Acomb, after the death of Robt. Plewman and Margaret, his wife, parents of Wm., to the use of Thos. Plewman, his brother, younger son of Robt. Fine 6s. 8d. Fealty respited until he came of age.

John Skadlock surrendered per John Burdeux and Geo. Skadlock 5 *dales* of meadow in Holgate Yngs, of which 3 lay in the Yngs next the town of Holgate and 2 lay in the Yngs towards the River Owse,

together with 1 *beastegate* within the Yngs and outside the Yngs to the use of Geo. Tyrrye. Fine 5s.

Stephen Skadlock surrendered per John Burdeux and Wm. Wright $\frac{1}{2}$ a. of arable land called a *Foulforthe* in Acome field, between the lands of Wm. Holgate on S. and Geo. Gill on N., to the use of Wm. Maskewe. Fine 16d.

Robt. Plewman surrendered per Wm. Plewman and Geo. Skadlock 1 a. of land called a Longland in the Newefelde of Holgate, between the lands of John Burdeux on W. and John Vesseye on E., to the use of Geo. Tyrrye. Fine 3s.

Geo. Skadlock surrendered per Robt. Spacie, John Burdeux and Robt. Hill a messuage, barn, garth, close and 1 oxgang of land (except 3 roods) in Holgate to the use of Geo. Gill and Joan Skadlock, his daughter, for the term of his (Geo. Skadlock's) life. Fine 15s.

Geo. Gill surrendered per Robt. Spacie, John Burdeux and Robt. Hill 1 oxgang of land in Acome fields to the use of Joan Skadlock and the heirs of her body lawfully begotten by the said Geo. Gill, or in default thereof to the right heirs of Geo. Gill. Fine 13s. 4d.

Joan Skadlocke, spinster, surrendered per Robt. Spacie, John Burdeux and Robt. Hill a messuage, barn, garth, close and 1 oxgang of land (excepting 3 roods) in Hollgate fields to the use of Geo. Gill and the heirs of her body legitimately begotten by the said Geo., with remainder to her right heirs. Fine 20s.

Presentments. [in English].

Wm. Vesseye for mowing over a <i>furre</i> ¹ of meadow in the West Yngs contrary to the penalty imposed	..	12d.
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And for encroaching on the lord's waste at the Town End Yate, at the W. end of his house	..	12d.
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Agnes Vesseye, wife of John Vesseye, <i>for that she did stand as an easinge droper</i> ² at the wyndoo of Robt. Howse to hear what was said or done	6d.
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Ralph Webster of Holgate for harbouring vagabonds and suspected persons	4d.
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Chris. Thackwraye, one of the jury, for disclosing the secrets of the jury	12d.
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Penalties. [in English].

Wm. Vesseye not to mow over a <i>furrer</i> in the West Ings, contrary to an old penalty	3s. 4d.
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None of the inhabitants of the lordship nor any of their folks or servants to go forth to gather wool	..	10s. 0d.
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No occupant of a messuage in Acome to have more than 2 loads of turves and no cottager more than 1 load..	10s.	0d.
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Wm. Vesseye to make his fence at the W. end of his house to join the <i>eshe tre</i> there as it formerly did before Whitsuntide	3s. 4d.
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No tenant of a messuage in Holgate to get more than 1 load of turves and no cottager more than $\frac{1}{2}$ load	..	3s. 4d.
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¹ Furrow.

² Eavesdropper.

No inhabitant of Acome to *rate*¹ any hemp in the
 Husburne Howe Carr nor in the West Ynge Dykes .. 3s. 4d.
 Wm. Nabylsone and his wife to sell ale according to
 the assize and as cheaply as other brewers in Acome .. 3s. 4d.
 Total of this court, . . . [blank].

**Court Baron with View of Frankpledge, Thursday, 17 Oct. 25 Eliz.
 [1583] before John Hall, steward.**

Essoins. Hy. Gill by Wm. Wright, Wm. Shiptone by Chris.
 Thackwraye, Geo. Cowper by Wm. Wright and Geo. Tyrrye by Nic.
 Hodgeson.

Default of Suit of Court. John Inglebye, Thos. Bamforthe and
 Thos. Sandwith were each fined 4d.

Jurors. Wm. Hollgate, Wm. Hill, Geo. Skadlock, John Kirkbye,
 John Burdeux, Thos. Slater, Wm. Wright, Wm. Nabelsone, Wm.
 Plewman, Wm. Vesseye, Robt. Plewman, Ric. Shiptone, John Gill,
 jnr., Wm. Buttery.

Wm. Ireland surrendered $\frac{1}{2}$ a. of land called a *Blackebitt* in the
 Hobmoorefelld of Acomb, between the lands of Wm. Holgate on
 N. and Geo. Gill on S. to the use of Wm. Plewman. Fine 16d.

Presentments. [in English].

Thos. Hill, brewster, and Wm. Haxupe for felling and
 carrying whins contrary to the penalty .. 3s. 4d.
 John Rackless alias Rutlesse, jnr. for an affray and
 drawing blood of Thos. Nixsone .. 10s. 0d.
 Stephen Skadlock for breaking the *pynfolld* .. 3s. 4d.

Penalties. [in English].

No inhabitants of Acome or Holgate to dry hemp in
 any oven or kiln or by any fire .. 3s. 4d.

No inhabitant of Acome or Holgate to thresh corn
 in their *laithes*² by candle light .. 3s. 4d.

Thos. Hill's wife and Margaret Gill not to scold with
 their neighbours .. 3s. 4d.

No inhabitant of Acome, other than his kinfolk, to
 harbour Thos. Gill .. 20s. 0d.

The inhabitants of Holgate to *make up there forefrunts*
and bakfrunts and keep their swine out of the fields. No
 man to keep another's swine .. 3s. 4d.

No inhabitant of Acomb to get *whinnes* in Holgate
 Little Moor other than as they ought ..

Penalty 10s. per load, per burden 12d.

Ralph Webster of Holgate and Wm. Nabelsone of
 Acomb were to cease *typlyne*³ .. 20s. 0d.

¹ Soak.

² Barns.

³ Selling ale.

Election of Officers.

For Acome:— Hy. Plewman, grave, Robt. Spacye, constable, Geo. Gill and Wm. Haxupe, ale tasters. For Holgate:— John Burdeux, grave, Geo. Skadlocke, constable, John Burdeux, ale taster.
Total of this court, . . . [blank].

Court Baron with View of Frankpledge 30 April 26 Eliz. [1584] before John Hall, steward.

Essoins. Robt. Nottingham by John Gill.

Default of Suit of Court. Ric Stapleton, kt., John Inglebye, esq., John Wilkinsone and Eliz. Burdeux were each fined 4d.

Jurors. Wm. Holgate, Robt. Spacye, Wm. Hill, Wm. Maskewe, Wm. Shiptone, Robt. Plewman, Robt. Hill, Robt. Holgate, Robt. Nottingham, Geo. Cowper, Geo. Gill, snr., Thos. Slater, Wm. Wright, Robt. Pallasser, John Burdeux.

Robt. Cartwright and Alice, his wife, surrendered a messuage, barn and garden, a small house and 2 oxgangs of arable land and meadow in Acomb to the use of John Awsten and Joan Pleweman, daughter of Robt. Plewman of Acome and the heirs of their bodies, remainder to the right heirs of John Awsten. Fine 43s. 4d.

Wm. Haxupe, snr., and Wm. Haxupe, jnr. surrendered per Wm. Hill and Chris. Thackwraye $1\frac{1}{2}$ a. of land in Acomb fields, viz. $\frac{1}{2}$ a. called *Colte Half Acre* near the Carr, $\frac{1}{2}$ a. called *Appletrestubb* and $\frac{1}{2}$ a. called a *Gilderscarr*, to the use of Wm. Shiptone. Fine 4s.

Stephen Skadlock surrendered per Wm. Holgate and Wm. Maskew 1 Carrgate and 1 Felldgate in Acome to the use of Ric. Hodgesone. Fine 3s. 4d.

Roger Barbor, Thos. Michell and Mary, his wife, claimed 3 messuages, 3 cottages and 6 oxgangs of land in Acome, formerly belonging to Thos. Metcalf, deceased, and held by copy of court roll, and sought that their claim be enrolled as follows:— [in English]. Roger Barbor, son of Wm. Barbor and Isabel his wife, one of the daughters of Thos. Metcalf of Acome, deceased, and Thos. Michell and Mary, his wife, daughter of Thos. Eggestone and Ellyn, his wife, another daughter of Thos. Metcalf, made claim to 3 messuages, 3 cottages and 6 oxgangs of land in Acome which Thos. Metcalf held by copy of court roll. The said Thos. Metcalf had surrendered the premises to the use of Isabel, his wife, for life, remainder to Lancelot his son, and the heirs of his body, remainder to Thos. his son, and the heirs of his body, remainder to Roger, his son, and the heirs of his body, remainder to the right heirs of Thos. Metcalfe. Isabel, wife of Thos., had died long since and Lancelot, Thos. and Roger had died without heirs. The premises should therefore descend to Roger Barbor, son of Isabel, one of the daughters of Thos. Metcalf, and to Thos. Mitchell and Mary, his wife, daughter of Ellyn, another daughter of Thos. Metcalf, as cousins and heirs of the said Thos. Metcalf.

Nic. Hogesone, bailiff of the manor of Acome, returned an order directed to him by the court steward, by which he was ordered to seize on the lord's behalf a waste messuage called *Newtone Garthe* in Acome, held of the lord by copy of court roll by Wm. Holgate. It was forfeit because the said Wm. denied that he ought to render to the lord one hen as rent for the messuage annually at Christmas and because he had not done so for several years.

Presentments. [in English].

Robt. Frenche because his servant did *brake*¹ hemp in the night in his fire house in Holgate, contrary to the penalty imposed at the last court 3s. 4d.

Ralph Webster of Holgate for tippling² since the last Court, contrary to the penalty imposed 20s. 0d.

Wm. Nablesone of Acome for tippling contrary to the penalty 20s. 0d.

Wm. Nablesone and Alice, his wife, because she did *rayle* and speak slanderous words against the last jurors and discovered some of the jury's secrets from the said Wm. he being one of the jury 6d.

Margaret Gill, daughter of John Gill the elder, for scolding with Mrs. Newarke 12d.

Wm. Nablesone for selling ale contrary to the Assize 6d.

Robt. Spacye, ale taster, for allowing Wm. Nablesone to sell ale contrary to the Assize 6d.

Robt. Spacye and Geo. Gill for scolding in court each 6d.

Penalties. [in English].

All inhabitants of Holgate were to make up their backfronts and forefronts and their fences, and not to *bayte*³ keep or tether any cattle in the barley field before the *gresse* was mown and the *corne shorne* 3s. 4d.

No one to loge any vagrant or vagabond 10s. 0d.

No one to *resett* or receive a man's goods from his wife or servant without the owner's consent 3s. 4d.

Margaret Gill was not to scold with anyone 3s. 4d.

Total of this court, [blank].

Court Baron with View of Frankpledge, Thursday, 15 Oct. 26 Eliz. [1584] before John Hall, steward.

Essoins. John Wilkinsone by Jane, his wife, Geo. Gill by Hy. Gill, Robt. Nottingham by the bailiff, Geo. Gill, jnr. by John Gill and Thos. Bamfurthe by Peter Newark.

Default of Suit of Court. Ric. Stapletone, kt., Jas. Frost, clerk, John Inglebye, John Weddell and Mary Frenche were each fined 4d.

¹ Crush by beating. *O.E.D.*

² See note, p. 77.

³ Feed.

Jurors. Wm. Hill, Wm. Maskewe, John Burdeux, snr., Geo. Skadlock, John Kirkbye, Wm. Nabelsone, Wm. Wright, Thos. Sandwith, Thos. Slater, Geo. Walker, John Gill, jnr., Roger Skadlock, Robt. Pallester, Stephen Skadlok, Hy. Gill, Robt. Plewman.

Robt. Plewman, Hy. Plewman and Margaret, wife of Robt., surrendered $1\frac{1}{2}$ a. of land on the Over Ryse adjoining the land of Peter Newarke, esq., now in the tenure of Robt. Plewman, to the use of Peter Newarke. Fine 3s. 4d.

Peter Newarke personally surrendered a close in Acome called *Wetelands*, containing 5 roods, to the use of Robt. Plewman. Fine 3s. 4d.

Hy. Plewman personally surrendered 2 oxgangs of land in Acomb, lately part of the land of Roger Metcalf, gent., to the use of Thos. Plewman. Fine 40s.

Ric. Shipton, snr. and Ric. Shipton, jnr. surrendered per Robt. Plewman and Robt. Hill 4 Gaires of land containing 1 a. in the Chappell Felld of Acome on the Wranglands to the use of Eliz. Smithe, widow. Fine 4s.

Chris. Thackwraye surrendered $\frac{1}{2}$ a. of land called the *Over Ryse* in the Farfelde of Acome to the use of Wm. Hill. Fine 16d.

Geo. Warde surrendered per Chris. Thackwraye and Lancelot Skadlok 1 r. containing 2 lands, one called *Barrell a Dyke* and the other lying in Greate Land Nooke in Acome to the use of Wm. Nabesone and Alice, his wife, and the heirs of Wm. Fine 8d.

Wm. Pleman surrendered per John Kirkbye and Wm. Wright 1 a. and $\frac{1}{2}$ r. of land in Holgate fields, of which $\frac{1}{2}$ a. lay in the Gravell Hill, $1\frac{1}{2}$ roods on the Lyttle Howe and 1 r. on the Threape Leaes, 1 dale of meadow in Holgate in the Twentie Penny Ynge, 1 dale of meadow in the Runynge Sykes, 1 dale of meadow in the Folly Milne Felld, 1 *leae land* on the Howe, 1 oxgang of land in Holgate excepting the *etage* in the ing hedge, and $\frac{1}{2}$ a. in the Hobmoore Felld of Acome called a *Black Bitt*, lying between the lands of Wm. Holgate on the N. and Geo. Gill on the S. to the use of Wm. Maskewe. Fine 10s. 4d.

John Wilkinsone surrendered per Wm. Maskewe and Wm. Wright a messuage, barn, toft or croft in Holgate and 1 oxgang of land in Acome fields to the use of himself and Jane, his wife, and the heirs male of their bodies, with remainder to his right heirs. Fine 20s.

John Gill, snr. surrendered a messuage and 1 oxgang of land in Acome, in his tenure, to the use of himself and Alice, his wife, for life.

[Marginal note. 'Their fine was pardoned by the lady of the manor'.]

Wm. Holgate surrendered per Robt. Plewman, Robt. Hill and Thos. Rutt the reversion of 1 messuage, 2 barns, 1 toft, 1 croft and 2 oxgangs of land in Acomb, lately in the tenure of Wm. Holgate, another messuage, barn, garth and 2 oxgangs of land and 2 waste cottages in Acome in the tenure of Wm. Haxupe, 1 waste messuage called *Dice Garthe* in Acome, lately in the tenure of Wm. Holgate, and 2 cottages in Acome in the tenure of Thos. Rutt and Martin

Grange, to the use of Peter Holgate and the heirs male of his body, after the death of Margaret Holgate, widow of Wm. Holgate, remainder to Wm. Holgate, son of John Holgate, and the heirs male of his body, remainder to Peter Holgate, son of Robt. Holgate, and the heirs male of his body, remainder to the use of the right heirs of Wm. Holgate, deceased. Fine £6.

John Scadlock surrendered per John Burdeux and Geo. Skadlock $\frac{1}{2}$ a. of arable land at Peseland Pitt in Holgate, $\frac{1}{2}$ a. in Holgate fields called *Willow Bridgge* lands, $\frac{1}{2}$ a. in the Moore Felld of Holgate near the Cowe Lane, $\frac{1}{2}$ a. in Braken Hill, 1 Crabtrie Land containing 1 rood, 1 dale of meadow in Twentie Pennye Inge in Holgate, 1 dale of meadow in Runynge Sykes and half the Leae in the Hye Howe to the use of Nic. Hodgesone. Fine 6s.

Wm. Holgate, surrendered per Robt. Pleweman, Robt. Hill and Thos. Rutt 1 Cargate and 1 Feldgaite in Acome fields and 1 waste messuage, 1 garth and 2 oxgangs of land in Holgate to the use of Peter Holgate, his son, and the heirs male of his body, remainder to Wm. Holgate, son of John Holgate, and the heirs male of his body, remainder to Peter Holgate, son of Robt. Holgate, and the heirs male of his body, remainder to the right heirs of Wm. Holgate, deceased. Fine 46s. 8d.

On 17 Sept. 26 Eliz. [1584] Roger Barbor, son of Wm. Barbor and Isabel, his wife, deceased, one of the daughters of Thos. Metcalf, gent., of Acome, deceased, and Thos. Michell and Mary, his wife, daughter of Thos. Eglestone and Ellen his wife, another daughter of Thos. Metcalf, cousins and nearest heirs of the said Thos., came before John Hall, steward, and quitclaimed to Thos. Hill a messuage, garden, toft, barn and 2 oxgangs in Acome, in the occupation of Wm. Hill by copy of court roll, and lately held by the said Thos. Metcalf, deceased. Fine [unspecified].

The same day the aforesaid persons quitclaimed to Hy. Plewman a messuage, garden, barn and 3 oxgangs of land in Acome, in the tenure of Robt. Plewman by copy of court roll and formerly held by Thos. Metcalf, deceased.

Presentments. [in English].

John Vesseye for not adequately repairing his fences between his property and Nic. Hodgesone's, according to the penalty imposed 3s. 4d.

Mary Frenche, widow, for the like offence .. 3s. 4d.

Ralph Webster for the like offence .. 3s. 4d.

Ric. Shiptone for keeping play in his house at unlawful times with men's servants and suspected company .. 12d.

Thos. Olyver for drying hemp in his house .. 12d.

John Vesseye for keeping 4 swine and allowing them to go in the cornfield to the annoyance of his neighbours 12d.

Robt. Spacie and Geo. Gill, ale tasters, for not attending this court each 6d.

Penalties. [in English].

No inhabitant of Acome to cut any <i>whynnes</i> between Dykhorne Close and Gravell Hill	
Penalty, per load 10s. and per burden	12d.
All common water sewers to be scoured and fences made between neighbour and neighbour before All Saints' Day [Nov. 1]	3s. 4d.
Every parishioner to make his part of the fence around Acome churchyard before the feast of St. Martin [Nov. 11]	3s. 4d.
Wm. Vesseye not to plough or mow more than his own land upon the Wetelands	10s. 0d.
All inhabitants of Holegaite to keep their swine ringed and out of their neighbours' corn and grass ..	
per animal	4d.
John Vesse and Dorothy, his wife, not to chide or scold with their neighbours	2s. 0d.

Election of Officers.

For Acomb:— Hy. Pleweman and Robt. Spacye, graves, John Burdeux, jnr., constable, Wm. Taillor and Thos. Hill, ale tasters. Sam. Parker to view the scouring of the well at the W. end and Geo. Wright that at the E. end. Chris. Thackwraye and Lancelot Scadloke, overseers of fences and water sewers. For Holgate:— John Burdeux, grave, John Scadloke, constable, Geo. Skadloke and Robt. Pallester, overseers of water sewers and fences.

Total of this court, [blank].

View of Frankpledge with Court Baron 30 Oct. 34 Eliz. [1592] before Thomas Grene, steward.

Essoins. Nic. Hodgson by John Hodgson, Thos. Hill son of Robt. Hill by Peter Hill, Wm. Buttrie by Wm. Wreighte.

Free tenants and suitors of the Court. John Inglebye, esq., Peter Newarke, Tristram Tillesley, vicar of Acam, Wm. Gibsone, gent. (defaulted, 4d), and Wm. Foster, gent. (defaulted, 4d).

Customary Tenants. John Inglebye, esq., Peter Newarke, esq., Thos. Mosley, ald. of York, John Weddell, gent., the feoffees of St. Thomas's hospital without Micklegate Bar, Wm. Hall, gent., Thos. Harbart, gent. (defaulted, 4d), Hy. Newarke, gent. (defaulted, 4d), Robt. Spacie, Nic. Hodgson, Hy. Bannister (defaulted, 4d), Geo. Tirrie (deceased), Thos. Tirrie, Wm. Buttrie, Wm. Maskew, Peter Hodgson (defaulted, 4d), Wm. Wreighte of York, baker, Thos. Slator, Thos. Peighan, John Awdersone, John Hodgson, Jas. Hutchensone, Stephen Swynbancke, Wm. Shiptone, John Wilkinsone and his wife, Stephen Skadloke, Geo. Gill, Hy. Gill, Lancelot Skadloke, John Austen, Fran. Spacie, Thos. Plewman, Wm. Burdux, Chris. Thackwray, Robt. Hill, Wm. Prince, Thos. Hill son of Robt. Hill, Peter Hill, Thos. Hill son of Wm. Hill, Wm. Thomsone, Robt.

Arture, Adam Skadlocke, Peter Vessie, Wm. Vessey, John Vesseye of Acome, John Vesseye of Holgate, Thos. Vessey of Acome, Thos. Gill (deceased), Geo. Lorrimer, Ric. Shipton, Thos. Walton, Thos. Grey, John Skadlock, John Gill, Robt. Mills and Jane, his wife, (defaulted, 4d), Wm. Grenup and Mary, his wife, Kath. Newarke, Margaret Pallester, widow, (defaulted, 4d), Alice Burdeux, widow, Anne Plewman, widow, Eliz. Burdewx, widow, Margaret Tone (deceased), Wm. Tone and Hy. Tone, Alice Wreighte, Jane Fairbarne, Abraham Bamforthe (defaulted, 4d), Wm. Thackwray (infant), Cuthbert Mose and his wife, Jane Rutt, Robt. Frinche, Wm. Kirkbie (infant), John Plewman (infant), John Atkinsone (infant), Wm. Hill (infant), Tristran Vesseye (infant), and Anthony Vesseye.

Complaints.

Ric. Shipton against Peter Hodgesone in a plea of debt on demand of 18d.

[Marginal note:— The bailiff was ordered to distrain the dft. against the next court to reply to the charge.]

John Wynterbourne against Thos. Holdesworthe in a plea of transgression on the grounds that he had made an assault and affray on him to his loss of 5s. The dft. denied the charge. The jury said he was guilty and assessed damages at 4d. and the court's costs at 1d.

Inquest or Homage. Wm. Maskue, Wm. Wreighte, John Hodgson, John Wilkinsone, John Awsten, Fran. Spacie, Thos. Plewman, Wm. Burdewxe, Wm. Thomsone, Robt. Hill, Wm. Prince, Peter Hill, Hy. Gill.

Presentments.

Alice Parker, wife of Sam. Parker, for assaulting Margaret Darther	20d.
Thos. Holdsworthe for assaulting John Wynterbourne	20d.
Jas. Wharton for an affray on Geo. Gill	3s. 4d.
Trinion Fawcet for breaking the common pound at Holgate	3s. 4d.

Thos. Gamell of Popleton for illegally recovering his cattle from Thos. Vessey, the common pinder for Acome, as he was leading them to the pound

20d.

Thos. Gill died since the last court seised of a cottage, garden and 1 a. of land in Acome. Wm. Gill was his son and nearest heir and was about 4 yrs. old. Fine 10s. 8d.

Beatrice Amersone died since the last court seised of a cottage, garden and the *Smydie* in Holgate. Wm. Tone and Hy. Tone were her sons and the property belonged to them by virtue of a previous surrender. Fine 8s. 8d.

Geo. Tyrrie of York, cordwainer, died since the last court seised of a cottage, barn and garden in Acomb and also land in Acomb fields, viz. Ouze Acre between the lands of Peter Hodgson and John Wilkinsone, 1 acre; Longe Land in the Newefeild of Holgate between lands of Wm. Burdewxe on W. and John Vesseye on E.; 5 dales of meadow in Holgate Yngs, of which 3 lay in the Yngs next the town

of Holgate and 2 in the Yngs next the River Ouse; and 1 beast gate within the Yngs and without. Thos. Tirrie was his son and nearest heir and was about 24 yrs. of age. Fine 19s. 4d.

Election of Officers. For Acomb:— grave, Robt. Spacie, constable, Thos. Plewman, ale tasters, Geo. Gill and Adam Skadlocke, fence viewers, Robt. Spacie and Hy. Gill, well scourers, John Wilson for the W. end and Wm. Beane for the E. end. Officers for Holgate:— graves, Wm. Hall and John Vessey, constable, Robt. Smythe, fence viewers, Wm. Burdeux and John Vessey.

Penalties and ordinances. [in English].

Isabel Jeffrasone not to scold with her neighbours . . . 3s. 4d.

Anne Wharton, Mrs. Barker, widow, and Jane Mylnes, wife of Robt. Mylnes, were ordered likewise
each 3s. 4d.

The assessors were the whole homage. Total for this court, [blank].

View of Frankpledge with Court Baron 9 Oct. 35 Eliz. [1593] before Thomas Grene, steward.

Essoin. Wm. Maskue by John Vessey.

Free Tenants. John Inglebie, esq., Peter Newarke, esq., Tristram Tillesley, Wm. Gybsone of York, gent., Wm. Foster, gent.

Customary Tenants. John Ynglebye, esq., Peter Newarke, esq., Thos. Mosley, ald. of York, John Weddell, gent., the feoffees of St. Thomas's Hospital without Micklegate Bar, Wm. Hall, gent., Thos. Harbert, gent., Hy. Newarke, gent., Robt. Spacie, Nic. Hodgson, Hy. Bannister, Thos. Tirrie, Wm. Buttre, Wm. Maskue, Peter Hodgson, Wm. Wreighte of York, baker, Thos. Slator, Thos. Peighen, John Awdersone, John Hodgson, Jas Hutchinsone, Stephen Swinbanke, Wm. Shipton, John Wilkinsone, and his wife, Stephen Skadlocke, Geo. Gill, Hy. Gill, Lancelot Skadlocke, John Austen, Fran. Spacie, Thos. Plewman, Wm. Burdux, Chris. Thackwray, Robt. Hill, Wm. Prynce, Thos. Hill son of Robt. Hill, Peter Hill, Thos. Hill son of Wm. Hill, Wm. Thomson, Robt. Arture, Adam Skadlocke, Peter Vessey, Wm. Vessey, John Vessie of Acomb, John Vessey of Holgate, Thos. Vessey of Acomb, Geo. Lorrimer, Ric. Shipton, Thos. Walton, Thos. Grey, John Skadlocke (deceased), John Gill, Robt. Mylls and Jane, his wife, Wm. Greneup in right of his wife, Kath. Newarke, Margaret Pallister, widow, Alice Burdeux, widow, Anne Plewman, widow, Eliz. Burdeux, widow, (ill), Hy. Tone, Alice Wreighte, Jane Fairbarne, Abraham Bamforthe, Wm. Thackwray, Cuthbert Mose (deceased), and Jane Rutt, his wife, Robt. Frinche, Wm. Kirbie, John Plewman, John Atkinsone, Wm. Hill, Tristram Vessey, Anthony Vessey, Wm. Gill, Jas Metcalf of York, butcher, Robt. Pallister and John Burdeux.

Actions or Complaints.

Hy. Gill against Robt. Faldington in a plea of debt on demand of 2s. 6d. The dft. denied the debt and both he and the plt. put themselves on the jury. They determined that the dft. owed the 2s. 6d.

Jurors. Robt. Spacie, Thos. Plewman, John Awsten, Wm. Burdeux, Chris. Thackwray, Wm. Shipton of Knapton, Thos. Peighen, Geo. Gyll, Robt. Hill, Hy. Gill, John Burdeux, Thos. Walton, Robt. Pallister.

Verdict.

John Ynglebie, esq., owed suit of court for his lands held freely as well as those held by copy of court roll and defaulted 6d.

Peter Newarke, esq., Wm. Foster, gent., free tenants, and John Weddell, gent., Thos. Harbert, gent., Hy. Newarke, gent., Hy. Bannister, Thos. Tyrrie, Peter Hodgson, Lancelot Skadlocke, Peter Hill, Wm. Vessie, Ric. Shipton, Margaret Pallister, Abraham Bamforthe, Robt. Frinche and Tristram Vessie owed suit of court and defaulted each 4d.

John Gell for selling turves contrary to the penalty .. 20d.

Thos. Holdesworthe for keeping servants who were strangers in his house at unlawful times 12d.

John Wilsone because he did drive men's cattle from their pasture 3s. 4d.

The wife of Ric. Shipton, jnr. for scolding with her neighbours 3s. 4d.

Robt. Amerson for keeping stranger's pigs .. 12d.

Wm. Greneup for letting his pigs lie in the cornfield .. 2s. 0d.

Jas. Hutchinson for not keeping his pigs in a *swynestyne* at night 3s. 4d.

Jas. Wharton for shooting with a *gonne* 12d.

Lancelot Skadlocke surrendered per John Austen and Fran. Spacie a cottage, garden, barn and 3 dales of meadow in Ouseings and land, part of Cuthbert Hill, in Acome to the use of Thos. Peighen. Fine 8s. 8d.

Lancelot Skadlocke also surrendered per John Awsten and Fran. Spacie 1 acre of land in Acome fields, viz, 1 r. called a *Longe Roode* against the Carside, 1 Pyne, $\frac{1}{2}$ a., in the Farfeild and 1 Melgate, 1 r., in the same field to the use of Thos. Peighen for the remainder of a term of 21 yrs. which he had by the lease of Roger Skadlock on 16 Oct. 24 Eliz. [1582]. Fine 16d.

Hy. Gill surrendered 3 r. of arable land in Acome, viz. $\frac{1}{2}$ a. against the Carside, $\frac{1}{2}$ r. in the Bitts Melsikes and $\frac{1}{2}$ r. in the Pellit Raigne to the use of Geo. Lorrimer. Fine 2s.

Geo. Gill surrendered per Wm. Burdeux and Peter Hill the reversion of a messuage, barn and garden in Acome, after his death, to the use of Thos. Forthe and Joan, his wife, one of his (Geo. Gill's) daughters and the heirs of their bodies, remainder to the heirs of

Joan, remainder to the right heirs of Geo. Thos. Firthe and Joan to pay 16d. p.a. to the heirs and owners of an oxgang of land lately belonging to the messuage and now in the occupation of the said Geo. Fine 10s. [?].

It was presented by Wm. Burdeux alone that Anne Plewman surrendered per Wm. Burdeux and John Skadlocke, the latter being now dead, half a messuage, being the E. side thereof, and a barn and garden to the use of Lancelot Skadlocke from the feast of St. Martin in Winter next [Nov. 11], during her widowhood, paying her 33s. 4d. p.a. and 2 measures of rye. She to have easement in the garden and barn for her corn grown on $\frac{1}{2}$ oxgang of land. Lancelot Skadlocke to repair the tenement. Fine 5s.

Election of Officers for Acome.

Geo. Gill, constable; Thos. Mosley and the said Geo., bailiffs or graves; Thos. Plewman and Thos. Fouryeth [?], ale tasters; Peter Hill and Thos. Brodes, viewers of fences; Robt. Faldington and Thos. Holdesworth, viewers of the common wells.

[Officers for Holgate]. Geo. Holgaite, constable; Wm. Greneup, bailiff; Robt. Mouncton and Robt. Pallister, viewers of fences; Thos. Vessie, common pinder.

Penalties and Ordinances. [in English].

No inhabitant of Holgate to fell any <i>whines</i> on Holgate More	..	Penalty per load 10s., per burden	12d.
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No one to <i>grave</i> turves from Acome More above a load, neither John Gill nor any other	10s. 0d.
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Appointment of Fran. Spacie and Chris Thackwray overseers of the same.

Every *graver* to render account as to whom they delivered them.

Stephen Skadlocke and other inhabitants of the lordship to scour their water sewers before 2 Nov.	each	3s. 4d.
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Thos. Smythe to make up his fence between Robt. Hill's croft and his garth before Martinmas day	..	3s. 4d.
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Robt. Amarsone's wife and Janet Mountaine not to scold with their neighbours	..	3s. 4d.
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No inhabitant of Acome or Holgate to keep swine other than their own	..	3s. 4d.
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They were to <i>stye</i> their swine at night	..	3s. 4d.
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Chris. Bland, Percival Hodgson and Geo. Walter to keep the watersewers before their doors well scoured after 2 Nov. next	..	3s. 4d.
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Fran. Spacie and Robt. Mylls to repair the <i>cawsies</i> before their doors before Martinmas	..	3s. 4d.
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Wm. Walker to repair his house <i>nooke</i> before Martinmas	..	3s. 4d.
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No one to wash any <i>buddings</i> ¹ at Holgate in Follie Myll Feild	..	3s. 4d.
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¹ Puddings; i.e., beasts' entrails for sausage skins.

The assessors were the whole homage. Total profits of this court, [blank].

View of Frankpledge with Court Baron 6 Oct. 38 Eliz. [1596] before Thomas Grene, steward.

Free Tenants. John Inglebie, esq., Peter Newarke, esq., Wm. Robinsone of York, ald., Tristran Tillesley, vicar of Acomb, Wm. Gibsone, gent. and Wm. Foster.

Customary Tenants. John Inglebie, esq., Peter Newarke, esq., Thos. Mosley of York. ald., John Weddell, gent., the feofees of St. Thomas's Hospital without Micklegate Barre, Wm. Hall, gent., Thos. Harbert, gent., Hy. Newarke, gent., Kath. Spacie, widow, Nic. Hodgsonne, Hy. Banister, Wm. Buttrie, Wm. Maskue, Peter Hodgsonne, Eliz. Wreighte, widow, Thos. Slater, John Awdersonne, Thos. Peighene, John Hodgsonne, Jas. Hutchinsone, Thos. Shipptone, John Wilkinsone and Jane, his wife, Stephen Skadlocke, Geo. Gill, Hy. Gill, John Awstene, Fran. Spacie, Thos. Plewmanne, Wm. Durdeux, Chris. Thackwraie, Robt. Hill, Wm. Prince, Thos. Hill son of Robt. Hill, Peter Hill, Thos. son of Wm. Hill, Wm. Thompsonne, Robt. Arture, Adam Skadlocke, Peter Vessie, John Vessie of Acomb, John Vessie of Holdgaitte, Thos. Vessie of Acomb, Geo. Loromer, Ric. Shiptone, Thos. Waltone, Thos. Graie, Robt. Milles and Jane, his wife, Kath. Newarke, Margaret Pallister, widow, Alice Burdeux, widow, Anne Plowmane, widow, Roger Spacie and Anne, his wife, Hy. Tonne, Alice Wreighte, spinster, Jane Fairebarne, Wm. Thackwraie, Wm. Cobstacke in the right of Jane Rutt, his wife, Robt. Frenche, Wm. Kirkbie, Thos. Plewmanne, John Atkinsone, Tristram (*Thristrian*) Vessie, Anthony Vessie, Wm. Gill, Jas. Metcalfe, butcher, Percival Barnes, Robt. Pallister, John Burdeux, Thos. Swaile of York, cordwainer, Geo. Elwicke, tenant of 1 acre and 2 roods of land in Clifton, Dennis Bainebridge in the right of Edith, his wife, daughter and heir of Guy Jacksone, for 1 cottage in Cliftone, Chris Walker of Cliftonne, Wm. Clarke, and Anne Preston for land in Cliftonne.

Jurors. Wm. Maskue, John Awstene, Fran. Spacie, Thos. Plewmane, Robt. Hill, Peter Hill, Thos. Hill of Clifton, Thos. Hill of Poppleton, Wm. Burdeux, Thos. Waltone, Roger Spacie, Robt. Frenche, Jas. Metcalfe.

John Inglebie, esq., Peter Newarke, esq., Wm. Robinsone, ald., Wm. Foster, John Weddell, Thos. Harbotle, gent., and Jas. Hutchinsone for default of suit of court each 4d.

Wm. Cobstacke for making an illegal recovery from the wife of the common pinder as she was leading his cattle to the pinfold 20d.

Nic. Newarke for keeping his horses and poultry on the common where he had no right 3s. 4d.

Robt. Pallister for allowing his hedges between his garden at Holdgaite and the cornfields to fall down to the annoyance of his neighbours	..	..	..	3s.	4d.
Eliz. Brooides for not sending her ale for Peter Gill, ale taster, to taste	..	..	..		4d.
Gilbert Judgsone for the like default	..	..	..		4d.
John Wilkinsone for selling ale contrary to the assize					4d.
Nic. Newarke for breaking the common pound and taking his animals	..	..	..	3s.	4d.
John Bee for the like default	..	..	..	3s.	4d.
Edw. Crosbie of Dringhowses for cutting and taking whines from Acomb common	..	..	..	6s.	8d.

Hy. Banister surrendered per Peter Hodgson and Robt. Franche $\frac{1}{2}$ a. called a *Wett Lande* in the West Field of Acomb to the use of Nic. Hodgson. Fine [unspecified].

Wm. Greneuppe held a messuage and 2 oxgangs of land in Holdgate in the right of Mary, his wife, of which the remainder, on the death of Mary, belonged to Robt. Frenche, her natural son. Wm. surrendered the premises per Thos. Peighene and John Hodgson to the use of Robt. Frenche. Fine [unspecified].

At the court held on 6 Nov. 32 Eliz. [1590] Wm. Allane, late ald. of York, and John Richardsone, clerk, feoffees, had surrendered per Wm. Wreighte and Thos. Peighene a messuage, barn and garden and $1\frac{1}{2}$ oxgangs of land in Holdgate to the use of Robt. Mounctone from the feast of St. Martin [Nov. 11] next for 21 yrs. at the rent specified. It was now presented that Robt. Asquithe, Wm. Robinsone, Ralph Richardsone, Jas. Birkbie, ald. of York, Hy. Hall and Marmaduke Sothabie, gents., feoffees of the premises, lately in the tenure of Wm. Beane and now of Robt. Mouncktone, and which the said Robt. Mouncktone had obtained secretly and indirectly from Wm. Beane, had surrendered them on 30 June 38 Eliz. [1596], per Wm. Maskue and Thos. Peighen to the use of Wm. Beane for 21 yrs. after the expiration of the term granted to Robt. Mouncktone. He was to pay 26s. 8d. p.a. to the poor in St. Thomas's Hospital without Micklegate Barr, maintain the premises and not to alienate or lease them except to his wife and children, without the licence of the mayor and 15 of the ald. and twenty four in council, of whom 6 were to be ald. [Marginal note:— The fine was pardoned].

Election of Officers. For Acome:— Fran. Spacie and Hy. Gill, bailiffs; Peter Hill, constable; Robt. Hill and John Vessie, ale tasters; Hy. Gill and Lancelot Skadlocke, viewers of fences; Roger Peckitt and Wm. Wreighte to scour the well; John Gill common *pignat*.¹ For Hollgaite:— Thos. Mosley, ald., bailiff; Wm. Walker, constable; Robt. Smithe, ale taster.

Penalties and Ordinances. [in English].

No inhabitant of Acome to break Lowe Hobb Moor except by consent of the byelawmen 10s. 0d.

¹ Pinder.

No one to get any <i>whines</i> from between Gravell Hill Knowle and Dikerame Closes Ende	.. ..
	per load 10s. per burden	12d.
Hy. Gill to send away Maud Gill from his house before Martinmas [Nov. 11]	.. ..	6s. 8d.
Robt. Pallister to make up his fence, sufficiently diked and fenced, out of his garth to the cornfield from his <i>gatt yatte</i> to Poppleton Street before All Saints' Day [Nov. 1]	.. ..	10s. 0d.
Nic. Newarke to send away his mares and foals from the lordship before Martinmas	.. ..	6s. 8d.
The assessors were the whole homage. Total profits of this court, [blank].		

View of Frankpledge and Court Baron 30 March 39 Eliz. [1597] before Thos. Grene, steward.

Free Tenants. John Inglebe, esq., Peter Newarke, esq., deceased, for 1 a. of meadow called Clifton Acre and as is said for 1 close called *Raphe Close*, Wm. Robinson, Tristram Tillesley, vicar of Acome, Wm. Gibson, gent., and Wm. Foster.

Customary Tenants. John Inglebe, esq., defaulted, Peter Newarke, esq., deceased, Thos. Mossley of York, John Weddall, gent., defaulted, the feoffees of the Hospital of St. Thomas without Micklegate Bar, Wm. Hall, gent., Thos. Harbert, gent., Hy. Newark, gent., Kath. Spacie, widow, essoin, Nic. Hodgson, Wm. Buttree, defaulted, Wm. Maskew, Peter Hodgson, defaulted, Eliz. Wright, widow, Thos. Slator, John Awderson, Thos. Peighen, essoin, John Hodgson, Jas. Hutchinson, defaulted, Thos. Shipton, John Wilkinson, essoin, and Jane, his wife, Stephen Skadlocke, essoin, Geo. Gill, Hy. Gill, essoin, John Austen, Fran. Spacie, Thos. Plewman, Wm. Burdeux, Robt. Hill, essoin, Wm. Prince, Thos. Hill son of Robt. Hill, Peter Hill, Thos. Hill son of Wm. Hill, Robt. Artur, Adam Skadlocke, Peter Vessie, John Vessie of Holgate, essoin, John Vessie of Acome, Thos. Vessie of Acome, Geo. Lorimer, Ric. Shipton, Thos. Walton, Thos. Graie, Robt. Miles and [?], his wife, Mary Greneup, wife of Wm. Greneup, Kath. Newarke, Margaret Pallister, widow, (ill), Alice Burdeux, widow, Anne Plewman, widow, Roger Spacie and Anne, his wife, Hy. Tone, Alice Wright, essoin, Jas. Wright, deceased, Jane Fairbarne, defaulted, Wm. Thackwraie, essoin, Wm. Cobstake in right of Jane Rutt, his wife, Robt. Frenche, Wm. Kirkby, Thos. Plowman, John Atkinson, Tristram Vessie, defaulted, Anthony Vessie, Wm. Gill, Jas. Metcalfe, butcher, Percival Barnes, Robt. Pallister, essoin, John Burdex deceased, Thos. Swaile of York, cordwainer, Geo. Elwick of York, gent. for his land at Clifton, defaulted, Dennis Bainbrigg in right of Edith, his wife, daughter and heir of Guy Jackson for a cottage in Clifton, Chris. Walker of Clifton, Wm. Clerke, essoin, and Anne Peirson for land in Clifton.

Complaints.

Anne Plowman, widow, against Lancelot Skadlocke in a plea of land on the grounds that he had cut down an ashe tree to her loss of 3s. 4d. The dft. denied the charge and the homage pronounced him not guilty.

Jurors. Wm. Maskus, Ric. Hodgson, John Austen, Thos. Plowman, Thos. Hill of Poppleton, Peter Hill, Thos. Hill, Geo. Gill, Wm. Burdeux, Wm. Prince, Robt. Frinch, Jas. Metcalfe.

Since the last court Peter Newarke of Acomb, esq., had died seised of 4 messuages, 3 cottages and 9 oxgangs of land in Acome, also 5 a. of land in Acomb fields, viz. 2 strips containing 1 a., formerly belonging to Wm. Newerke of which 1 strip was called *a Marr*, also 1 a. of land lately bought from Stephen Skadlocke, 2 a. lately bought from Roger Skadlocke and 1 a. bought from Eliz. Smith. Peter died seised also of 1 a. in Holgate fields lately bought from Margaret Johnson and 1 a. bought from Robt. Smithe, lying in Holgate fields. Thos. Newarke was his eldest son and heir and was of age. Fine [unspecified].

Presentments.

Jas. Hutchinson's *Forefront and backfront* were ruinous 3s. 4d.

Nic. Newarke, gent. had not removed his mares and *foles* as ordered at the last court 6s. 8d.

Edw. Crosby of Dringhouses had taken a cart-load of *whines* 10s. 0d.

The jurors presented further that everything was well.

Peter Neworke surrendered per Geo. Gill and Peter Hill a cottage and $\frac{1}{2}$ rood of land in the Lodgelea lying against the Carr and 1 Carr Gate in Acome to the use of Kath. Neworke. Fine [unspecified].

John Hodgson surrendered $\frac{1}{2}$ a. and $\frac{1}{2}$ r. of meadow in Hobmore Close and a piece of land there formerly held as common, containing $\frac{1}{2}$ r., and 2 Cargates in Acome Carr with appurtenances in Acomb fields to the use of Nic. Hodgson.

Ric. Duffeilde surrendered per Thos. Peighin and John Hodgson a cottage, toft and garden or croft in Acome between the lands of Fran. Spacie on one side and Hy. Gill on the other, to the use of Thos. Moseley. Fine [unspecified].

Thos. Moseley came into court and surrendered a cottage, toft and garden or croft in Acomb to the use of John Bee from Whit Sunday next for 21 yrs. at 13s. 4d. p.a. rent. John Bee to repair the roof with straw and mortar as necessary and not to lease the property without Thos. Moseley's licence. Fine [unspecified].

Hy. Neworke surrendered per Thos. Peighin and John Anderson a cottage, barn, garden and croft and 2 r. of land and strips lying at the end of the aforesaid garden, 1 Bracken Hill, $\frac{1}{2}$ a., in the Follie Milfeilde and $\frac{1}{2}$ a. called a *Garbred* near the Willow Bridge and another $\frac{1}{2}$ a. in the Maine Ingg near the Hedge side, with appurtenances in Holgate to the use of Robt. French. Fine [blank].

Penalties. [in English].

Gilbert Judson to make up his fences between his land and his neighbours' within 10 days	..	..	3s.	4d.
Robt. Faldinge and Mrs. Tailor to do likewise	each		3s.	4d.
Nic. Neworke not to keep his mares and foals within the lordship	..	..	6s.	8d.
Ric. Shipton to make up Hob More <i>Steele</i> [stile] within 10 days	..	..	3s.	4d.
Inhabitants of Acome and Holgate to take no more turves on Acome Common than 2 loads for every messuage and 1 load for every cottage and no graver to take any without informing the neighbours how many he had taken and for whom	..	..	3s.	4d.
Robt. Wright, Mrs. Walker, John Wright, Geo. Gill and Robt. Pallister to <i>sty up</i> their swine at night	..		3s.	4d.
No man to make his headland more than 4 feet greater than the next	..	..	3s.	4d.
The assessors [were] the whole homage. Total profits of this court [blank].				

View of Frankpledge with Court Baron 5 Oct. 39 Eliz. [1597] before Thos. Grene, steward.

Free Tenants. John Inglebie, esq., Wm. Robinson of York, ald., Tristran Tillesley, vicar of Acome, Thos. Neworke (essoin), Robt. Frinche, Wm. Gibson, gent. (deceased).

Customary Tenants. John Inglebe, esq., Thos. Neworke (essoin), Thos. Moseley of York, ald., John Weddall, gent., the feoffees of the Hospital of St. Thomas without Micklegate Barr, Thos. Harbert, gent., Kath. Spacie, widow, (essoin), Nic. Hodgson, Wm. Buttre, Wm. Maskue (essoin), Peter Hodgson, Eliz. Wrighte, widow, (essoin), Thos. Slator (essoin), John Awderson, Thos. Peighin, (essoin), John Hodgson, Jas. Hutchinson, Thos. Shipton (essoin), John Wilkinson and Jane, his wife, Stephen Skadlocke, Geo. Gill, John Austen, Fran. Spacie, Thos. Plowman, Wm. Burdeux, Robt. Hill, Wm. Prince (essoin), Thos. Hill son of Robt. Hill, Peter Hill, Thos. Hill son of Wm. Hill, Wm. Thomsonne, Wm. Hill (essoin), Robt. Artur, Adam Skadlocke, Peter Vessie, John Vessie of Acome, John Vessie of Holgate, Thos. Vessie of Acome, Geo. Horner, Ric. Shipton, Thos. Walton, Thos. Graie, Robt. Mills and Jane, his wife, Kath. Neworke (essoin), Margaret Pallister, widow, Alice Burdeux, widow, Anne Plowman, widow, Roger Spacie and Anne, his wife, (essoin), Hy. Tone (essoin), Alice Wright, Jane Fairbarne, Wm. Thackwraie (essoin), Wm. Cobstake in right of Jane, his wife, Robt. French, Wm. Kirkby, Thos. Plowman (infant), Thos. Plowman, snr., John Atkinson (essoin), Tristram Vessie (essoin), Anthony Vessie, Wm. Gill (infant), Jas. Metcalfe, butcher, (essoin), Percival Barnes (essoin), Robt. Pallister, Thos. Swaile, cordwainer, Geo. Elwicke, Dennis Bainbrigg in right of Edith, his wife, Wm. Clarke (essoin), Chris. Walker and Anne Preston.

Complaints.

Ric. Shipton against Wm. Maskue in a plea of trespass that he had entered his close, called a *Dale*, and carried away grass and hay worth 2s. causing a loss to him of 5s.

John Hodgson against Wm. Jeffraison in a plea of trespass because the dft. had paid 2s. 4d. for a fine for arrest at the dft's request. [?].

Geo. Wrighte against Adam Skadlocke that he had cut down and taken 4 of his trees causing a loss to him of 6s. 8d.

Jurors. Nic. Hodgson, John Austen, Fran. Spacie, Thos. Plowman, Peter Hill, Thos. Hill of Acome, Guy Thomson, Robt. French, John Wilkinson, Wm. Thompson, Thos. Hill of Clifton, Robt. Hill, Jas. Metcalfe.

[Presentments and Fines].

John Inglebee, Wm. Robinson, John Weddall, gent., Thos. Harbert, Peter Hodgson, Margaret Pallister, Thos. Plowman, snr., Geo. Elwick owed suit of court but defaulted. Each was fined 4d. Total 2s. 8d.

John Gill for digging turves without consent of his neighbours	6d.
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Sam. Parker owed suit of court and defaulted	4d.
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John Darcie, John Forrest, Robt. Fawdinge, Adam Skadlocke, Hy. Skadlocke, Ric. Shipton, Thos. Oneson, Wm. Jeffraison, Wm. Jeffraison [<i>sic</i>] and John Wilson for the like default	each 4d.
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Robt. Fysher for drawing blood of the body of Guy Walker	6s. 8d.
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The inhabitants of Acome <i>terent galeros</i> ¹ contrary to the statute	12d.
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John Austinge for selling ale contrary to the penalty imposed	20s. [<i>sic</i>] ? 20d].
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Kath Wilkinson for the like offence	20d.
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Gilbert Wilkinson for the like offence	4d.
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John Harper for an illegal recovery	20d.
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Election of Officers. For Acomb:— Lancelot Skadlocke, constable; Wm. Maskue and Ric. Shipton, reeves; John Austen and Thos. Vessie, overseers of *gaparum*² and fences; Geo. Gill and Guy Thompson, ale tasters. For Holgate:— Robt. Pallister, constable; John Wright, ale taster; Wm. Burdes and John Vessie, overseers of *gaparum* and fences.

Penalties. [in English].

No inhabitant of Acome, Holdgate or Clifton to break Hobmoor without the consent of the byelawmen	3s. 4d.
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No inhabitant of Acome or Holdgate to lodge Ric. Gatinby at any time	6s. 8d.
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¹ Wear hats.

² Gaps in hedges.

No inhabitant of Acome to get any *whines* from Acome More contrary to the old order, i.e., from between Gargill Hills and Dikehorne Close

For every wain load 10s. and for every burden 12d.

Kath. Wilkinson to make up her fence between Birkhead's wife and herself within 12 days 3s. 4d.

Thos. Smith to *stye* up his swine every night 3s. 4d.

A cart load of turves was to be counted the same as a wain load. As many horses as they wished might be put to each cart.

All *undersettles*¹ were to be sent away before Martinmas [Nov. 11] 10s. 0d.

Adam Skadlocke surrendered per John Awderson and Jas. Metcalfe $\frac{1}{2}$ a. called *Longland* in Holgate fields to the use of Peter Thow for 6 yrs. from Michaelmas last without payment of rent. Fine [unspecified].

Roger Spacie and Anne, his wife, surrendered on 28 April 39 Eliz. [1597] per Wm. Thompson and John Austen a messuage, garden and barn, 2 oxgangs and 2 a. of arable land, meadow and pasture in Acome to the use of Thos. Hill for 21 yrs. from the feast of St. Martin in Winter next at 40s. p.a. rent. Roger Spacie to have entry on the feast of the Purification of the B.V.M. [Feb. 2] before the end of the term according to agricultural custom. Thos. Hill to repair the roof, walls and timber as necessary, main timbers excepted. He was to be allowed to cut the ash trees growing there, but was to plant 6 *yonge* ashes yearly and was to allow Roger Spacie to cut trees for his own use between the feast of St. Martin and 1 May each year. Fine [unspecified].

At the court held on the feast of St. Mark the Evangelist 29 Eliz. [25 Apl. 1587] John Inglebee, esq. surrendered per Geo. Walter and Wm. Nablesen 1 oxgang of land, called the *Narrow Oxgang*, with appurtenances in Acomb fields to the use of Chris Thackwraie from Michaelmas next at 12s. p.a. rent. Chris. Thackwraie surrendered the remainder of his term at the court held 21 April 32 Eliz. [1590] to the use of John Deighton who paid a fine of 6s. 8d. and was admitted. It is now found that John Dighton surrendered the premises on 24 April 39 Eliz. [1597] per Robt. Hill and John Austen to the use of Thos. Plowman for the remainder of the term at 12s. p.a. rent payable to John Inglebie.

The assessors were the whole homage. Total profits of this court, [blank].

View of Frankpledge and Court Baron 19 April 40 Eliz. [1598] before Thomas Grene, steward.

Free Tenants. John Inglebie, esq., and Wm. Robinson of York, ald. Thos. Mosley of the same, ald. Thos. Newarke, gent., Tristram Tillesley of Acome, John Awsten and Robt. Frenche.

¹ Lodgers.

Customary Tenants. John Inglebie, esq., Thos. Mosley, ald., Thos. Newarke, gent., John Weddell, gent., feoffees of St. Thomas's Hospital without Micklegate Bar, Thos. Harbott, gent., Nic. Hodgsonn, Wm. Buttre, Wm. Maskue, Peter Hodgsonn, Thos. Slator, John Awdersonne, Thos. Peighen, John Hodgsonn, Jas. Huttchinsone, Thos. Shiptonn, Kath. Spacie, widow, Eliz. Wreight, widow, John Wilkinsonne and Jane, his wife, Geo. Gill, John Awstenn, Fran. Spacie, Thos. Plowman, Wm. Burdeux, Robt. Hill, Wm. Prince, Thos. Hill son of Robt. Hill, Peter Hill, Thos. Hill son of Wm. Hill, Wm. Thompsonne, Wm. Hill, Robt. Arthur, Adam Skadlocke, Peter Vessie, John Vessie of Acome, John Vessie of Holgate, Thos. Vessie of Acome, Geo. Loramer, Ric. Shiptonn, Thos. Waltonn, Thos. Graie, Robt. Mills and Jane, his wife, Kath. Newarke, Margaret Pallister, widow, Alice Burdeux, widow, Anne Plowman, widow, Roger Spacie and Anne, his wife, Hy. Toune, Alice Wreight, Jane Fairebarne, Wm. Thackwray, Wm. Cobstake in right of Jane, his wife, Robt. Franche, Wm. Kirkbie, Thos. Plowmann, infant, Thos. Plowmann, snr., John Atkinsonne, Tristrian Vessie, Anthony Vessie, Wm. Gill, infant, Jas. Mettcalfe, butcher, Percival Barnes, Robt. Pallister, Thos. Swaile, cordwainer, Dennis Bainebridge in right of Edith, his wife, Wm. Clerke, Chris. Walker, Anne Prestonne and Wm. Etheringtonne.

Jurors. Nic. Hodgsonne, Wm. Maskue, Thos. Peighen, Geo. Gill, Fran. Spacie, Thos. Plewman, Peter Hill, Wm. Prince, Guy Thompsonne, Wm. Thompsonne, Wm. Burdeux, Robt. Hill, Robt. Pallister.

Presentments.

John Ingleby, John Weddell and Peter Hodgson owed suit of court but defaulted each 4d.

Robt. Wreight for an assault and affray and drawing blood of Jas. Walker 10s. 0d.

Robt. Wreight harboured a pregnant woman to the annoyance of his neighbours 3s. 4d.

Robt. Fysher for the same offence 3s. 4d.

Geo. Elwicke of York, gent., died since the last court seised of a cottage and 1 acre of land in Clifton. Wm. Elwicke was his son and nearest heir and was of age. Fine [unspecified].

Kath. Newarke surrendered per John Awstean and Peter Hill a cottage and garden in Acome and $\frac{1}{2}$ rood in the Lodge Leas and 1 Cargate to the use of Thos. Plowmann. Fine [unspecified].

Stephen Skadlocke died since the last court seised of a messuage and garden and the meadow pertaining to an oxgang of land with the Cargatts and Feildgattes and 4 acres of arable land in Acome fields. Peter Skadlocke was his son and nearest heir. Fine [unspecified].

John Awsten and Joan, his wife, surrendered per Peter Hill, Geo. Gill and Thos. Plowman a messuage, barn and garden in Acome to the use of Margaret Burdeux from the feast of St. Martin next [Nov. 11] for 12 yrs. at 8d. p.a. rent in addition to the rents and

services due to the lord. She was to repair and maintain the property at her own cost, main timbers excepted. Fine [unspecified].

Agnes Preston, widow, and Robt. Preston, her son, surrendered 2 cottages and 2 adjoining gardens in Clifton to the use of Wm. Etheringtonn.

Adam Skadlocke surrendered per Thos. Waltonn and Thos. Graye 1 a. of arable land and meadow, viz. an Overrise, $\frac{1}{2}$ a.; a Pellitraine, $\frac{1}{2}$ r.; *a bitt againe the howe*, $\frac{1}{2}$ r.; a Skolbreede, $\frac{1}{2}$ r.; and a Whawe, $\frac{1}{2}$ r.; to the use of Lancelot Skadlock from the feast of St. Martin the Bishop last [Sept. 12] for 6 yrs. at 3s. 4d. p.a. rent and paying to the lord a free rent of 1d. and other services. Fine [unspecified].

Adam Skadlocke surrendered per Thos. Waltonn and Thos. Gray 1 a. of land and meadow in Acome to the use of Chris. Waide for 15 yrs. at a rent of 3s. 4d. p.a. He was to hold the land from the end of the term of 6 yrs. granted to Lancelot Skadlock [as above]. Adam Skadlocke to continue to render 6d. p.a. and other services due to the lord. Fine [unspecified].

Penalties and Ordinances. [in English].

Robt. Milnes to avoid Agnes Leppington forth of his house before Whitsuntide next	10s.	0d.
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The said Milnes to avoid Margaret Cawood and one other unknown woman before Whitsuntide	10s.	0d.
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Robt. Arthur to avoid Ric. Pettie and other <i>undersettles</i> ¹ before Whitsuntide	10s.	0d.
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Uxor [Mrs] Tayler to avoid forth of her house one <i>undersettle</i> whose name we know not	10s.	0d.
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John Gill to avoid forth of his house Agnes Lambert, an <i>undersettle</i> , before Whitsuntide	10s.	0d.
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John Awsten shall not lodge any pedlars, tinkers or any other vagrant persons without the consent of the constable	10s.	0d.
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Adam Skadlocke, John Vessie and all other inhabitants of Acome were ordered likewise	10s.	0d.
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Robt. Fisher, Robt. Wreighte, John Vessie and all other inhabitants of Houldgayte were ordered likewise	10s.	0d.
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Robt. Fisher not to receive nor harbour any strange women in his house they being with child	6s.	4d.[?]
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Robt. Wreighte was ordered likewise for every week	3s.	4d.
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Every messuage in Acome shall not get above 2 loads of turves and every cottage one load upon Acome Moore	3s.	4d.
			per load		

Wm. Burdeux of Houldgate to avoid forth of his house Robt. Fisher, his tenant, for some misdemeanour before St. Andrew's Day [Nov. 30]	10s.	0d.
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The assessors were the whole homage. Total profits of this court, [blank].

¹ Lodgers.

View of Frankpledge with Court Baron 17 Oct. 40 Eliz. [1598] before Thomas Grene, steward.

Free Tenants. John Inglebie, esq., Wm. Robinson of York, ald., Thos. Mosley of the same, ald., Thos. Newarke, gent., Tristram Tillesley, Vicar of Acome, John Awsten, Robt. Frenche.

Customary Tenants. John Inglebie, esq., Thos. Mosley, ald., Thos. Newarke, gent., John Weddell, gent., the feoffees of St. Thomas's Hospital without Micklegate Barre, Thos. Harbottle, gent., Nic. Hodgsonne, Wm. Buttre, Wm. Maskue, Peter Hodgsonne, Thos. Slator, John Awdersone, Thos. Peighene, John Hodgsonne, Jas. Hutchinson, Thos. Shiptone, Kath. Spacie, widow, Eliz. Wreighte, widow, John Wilkinsone and Jane, his wife, Geo. Gill, John Awstene, Fran. Spacie, Thos. Plewmann, Wm. Burdeux, Robt. Hill, Wm. Prince, Thos. Hill son of Robt. Hill, Peter Hill, Thos. Hill son of Wm. Hill, Wm. Thompsonne, Wm. Hill, Robt. Arture, Adam Skadlocke, Peter Vessie, John Vessie of Acome, John Vessie of Holdgaitte, Thos. Vessie of Acome, Geo. Loromer, Ric. Shiptonn, Thos. Waltonn, Thos. Graie, Robt. Mills and Jane, his wife, Kath. Newarke, Margaret Pallister, widow, Alice Burdeux, widow, Anne Plewman, widow, Roger Spacie and Anne, his wife, Hy. Toune, Alice Wreighte, Jane Fairebarne, Wm. Thackwraie, Wm. Cobstacke in right of Jane, his wife, Robt. French, Wm. Kirkbie, Thos. Plewman, Thos. Plewman, snr., John Atkinsonne, Tristrian Vessie, Anthony Vessie, Wm. Gill, Jas. Metcalf, butcher, Percival Barnes, Robt. Pallister, Thos. Swaile, cordwainer, Dennis Bainebridge in right of Edith, his wife, Wm. Clerke, Chris . . . [omission], Wm. Etherringtonne, and Wm. Elwicke.

Jurors. Thos. Peighene, Fran. Spacie, Wm. Burdeux, Robt. French, Robt. Pallister, Thos. Hill, jnr., Geo. Gill, Thos. Hill of Clifton, John Awstenne, Robt. Hill, Wm. Thompsonne, Thos. Shiptone, John Vessie.

Presentments.

Wm. Robinsonne of York, free tenant, John Weddell, Thos. Harbott, Peter Hodgsonne, Thos. Plewman, Anthony Vessie and Dennis Bainebridge, customary tenants owed suit of court but defaulted	each	4d.
The inhabitants of Acomb because <i>utitur feltris dies savit et alias ferias</i> ¹ contrary to the statute		12d.
Robt. Mills for keeping Margaret Cawoode contrary to the penalty	10s.	0d.
Wm. Riddell for making an illegal recovery		20d.
Sam. Parker, John Darsie and Robt. Whartonne for the like offence	each	20d.
John Gill, jnr., for keeping turves on the moor to the annoyance of his neighbours, not wishing to sell them	3s.	4d.
John Darsie for the like offence	3s.	4d.

¹ Used felt hats on Sundays and other feast days.

Robt. Mills for allowing his hedges to fall down to the
annoyance of his neighbours 3s. 4d.

Mrs. Wilkinsone, Mrs. Skadlocke and Gilbert Judsone
for the like 3s. 4d.

Robt. Wreightte for entertaining pedlers without the
constable's consent 3s. 4d.

Thos. Shipptonne, on 30 Dec. last, surrendered per Geo. Gill,
John Awstene and Ric. Shiptone a cottage barn, croft and 8 a. of land
and the meadow belonging to 1 oxgang of land, 2 Cargattes and 2
Fieldgaitts in Acomb to the use of Peter Hill from the feast of St.
Martin in Winter next [Nov. 11] for 12 yrs., paying 1d. p.a. if
demanded. Peter Hill to do all necessary repairs, excepting the main
timbers, and Thos. Shipton to have entry to the Fallows before the
end of the term according to agricultural custom. Fine [unspecified].

Thos. Shipptonn also surrendered the same property to the use of
himself and Cecily Helleme, his wife, and the heirs of their bodies,
remainder to his right heirs. Fine [unspecified].

Thos. Swale surrendered per John Awstene and Peter Hill a
messuage, garden, barn and 1 oxgang of arable land called *Narowe
Oxgange* in Acomb to the use of Thos. Plewman from the feast of
St. Martin in Winter next for 21 yrs. at 4d. p.a. rent. Thos. Plewman
to repair the premises except the main timbers. Fine [unspecified].

Thos. Hill, jnr., surrendered per Fran. Spacie and Wm. Thomp-
sone a messuage, garden, barn, croft and 2 oxgangs of land in Acome,
lately in the tenure of Wm. Hill, and 1 a. of land called an *Ouse Acre*
lying near the common balk and next to Holdgatte field, $\frac{1}{2}$ a. of land
called a *mildoore* lying on the east side of Thos. Vessie's land in the
Farrefeilde of Acome and 1 a. and $\frac{1}{2}$ r. in Holdgate fields, of which
3 roods lay next to Wm. Prince's land on W. and $1\frac{1}{2}$ r. next to Wm.
Maskue's land, to the use of him, Thos. Hill, jnr., and Euphemia
Bardene for life, remainder to the heirs of their bodies, remainder
to his right heirs. Fine [unspecified].

Election of Officers for Acome. Peter Hill, bailiff; John Gill, jnr.,
constable; Peter Hill and John Darcie, viewers of fences; Fran.
Spacie and John Wilsons, ale tasters; Thos. Graie, scourer of the well
at the W. end and Gilbert Judsone of that at the E. end.

Penalties. [in English].

All inhabitants of Acome to keep their swine in sties
at night 3s. 4d.

Wm. Wreightte to remove *clodges* and stones lying at
the town gate to the detriment of passengers 3s. 4d.

No inhabitant of Houldgate to dig earth out of the
Sandie Hill 3s. 4d.

All inhabitants of Houldgate to repair their causeways
before 21 March 12d.

The assessors were the whole homage. Total profits of this court
[blank].

View of Frankpledge with Court Baron 3 Oct. 41 Eliz. [1599] before Thomas Grene, steward.

Free Tenants. John Ingleby, esq., Wm. Robinson of York, ald., Thos. Mosley of York, ald., Thos. Newarke, gent., Tristrian Tillesley, vicar of Acomb, John Austenn and Robt. French.

Customary Tenants. John Ingleby, esq., Thos. Mosley, ald., Thos. Newarke, gent., Wm. Maskue (essoyn), Thos. Harbott, Leo. Weddell, Nic. Hodgsonn, Wm. Buttrie, Peter Hodgsonn, Thos. Slater, John Awderson, Thos. Peighen, John Hodgsonn, Jas. Hutchinsonn, Thos. Shiptonn, Kath. Spacie, widow (essoyn), Eliz. Wright, widow (essoyn), John Wilkinson and Jane, his wife, Geo. Gill, John Austen, Fran. Spacie, Thos. Plowman, Wm. Burdeux, Robt. Hill, Wm. Prince (essoyn), Thos. Hill son of Robt. Hill, Peter Hill (ill), Thos. Hill, son of Wm. Hill, Wm. Thompson, Wm. Hill, Robt. Arthur, Adam Skadlock, Peter Vessie, John Vessie of Acome, John Vessie of Holdgaytt, Thos. Vessie of Acome, Geo. Loromur, Ric. Shiptonn, Thos. Waltonn, Thos. Gray, Robt. Miles (in prison) and Jane, his wife, Kath Newark (essoyn), Margaret Pallister, widow, (common fine), Alice Burdeux, widow, Anne Plewman, widow, Roger Spacie and Anne, his wife, Hy. Tone (essoyn), Alice Wright, Jane Fairebarne (essoyn), Wm. Thackwray, Wm. Cobstacke in right of Jane, his wife, Robt. French, Wm. Kirkby, Thos. Plewman, snr., Thos. Plewman, jnr., John Atkinson (essoyn), Tristram Vessie (essoyn), Anthony Vessy, Wm. Gill, Jas. Metcalf, butcher (essoyn), Percival Barnes (essoyn), Robt. Pallister, Thos. Swaile, cordwainer, Chris. Waide, Dennis Baynbrigg in right of Edith, his wife, Wm. Clerke, Chris. Walker, Wm. Etheringtonn and Ric. Wells.

Jurors. Nic. Hodgson, Fran. Spacie, Wm. Burdeux, Geo. Gill, Thos. Hill, snr., John Awsten, Wm. Thompson, Thos. Hill, jnr., Thos. Plewman, Thos. Shipton, Geo. Loromer, Thos. Gray, Thos. Slater.

Verdict.

The following owed suit of court, defaulted and were fined 4d. each:— John Ingleby, Thos. Harbott, Wm. Buttry, Peter Hodgson, Jas. Hutchinsonn, John Wilkinsonn, Dennis Bainbridgg, Wm. Clerk, Chris. Walker, Wm. Etheringtonn.

Wm. Richardson for making an unlawful recovery from the wife of the common pinder	20d.
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Wm. Shiptonn and Edm. Loromer for the like offence	each	20d.
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Robt. Hill, Robt. Clerk and Robt. Pallister for 2 such offences each	3s. 4d.
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The inhabitants of Acome and Holdgaytt for not using <i>pilles</i> ¹ on the Sabbath and other feast days according to the statute	12d.
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Adam Skadlock surrendered per John Vessy of Holdgaytt and Thos. Vessy of Acome $\frac{1}{2}$ a. of land called a *Long Land* in Follye Milne

¹ Caps.

Field of Holdgayt to the use of Wm. Burdeux for 6 yrs. immediately following a term of 6 yrs. granted to him on 5 Oct. 39 Eliz. [1597] at 3s. p.a. rent. Fine [unspecified].

Thos. Mosley of York, ald. surrendered per Thos. Peigheen and Robt. Frinch a cottage, croft and barn and 1 a. of land in Clifton fields to the use of Ric. Wells for 21 yrs. from the feast of St. Martin in Winter last [Nov. 11] at 20s. p.a. rent. The lessee to repair the premises and not cut any oak or ash trees. Fine [unspecified].

[The following entry is in English.]

The claim of Thos. Swayle, son and heir of Lancelot Swayle late of Acome, deceased, to 1 oxgang of land in Acome Fields, formerly in the tenure of Robt. Gill and then of Joan alias Janet Swayle, daughter of Geo. Swayle. Either Geo. Swayle, deceased, late grandfather of Thos., or Lancelot Swayle, deceased, son of Geo., and father of Thos., who formerly seised of the land by copy of court roll. Thos. Swayle claimed the land as heir of Geo. Swaile, his grandfather, who died seised thereof. The jury found that Geo. did not die seised of the land as he had surrendered it to his wife for life. His son, Lancelot, was not heir to it and was never admitted to it, notwithstanding he had surrendered the same, and the said Thos. therefore claimed the premises as the next heir.

Thos. Gill of Acomb died seised of 2 half roods of land in Acomb, one called a *Henthorne* and the other a *Kirkrode* and Isabel Rawe, wife of John Rawe, was his sister and nearest heir and was 40 yrs. of age or more. Fine 16d.

Officers elected for Acome. Constable, Guy Thompsonn; grave, John Austenn; ale tasters, Thos. Atkinsonn and Sam. Parker; fence viewers, Thos. Plewman and Thos. Annatsonn; well scourers, Thos. Waltonn at W. end and Lancelot Skadlock at E. end.

Officers elected for Holgate. Constable, Robt. Pallister; grave, Robt. French; fence viewer, John Wright; ale taster, Wm. Burdeux.

Penalties and Ordinances. [in English].

John Bee to sty his swine at night 12d.

All inhabitants of Acome and Houldgaite to *ryle* in their Moore Landes Ends and Hongrybitt Endes and Holdgaytt Rood Endes between Mr. Mosley's Long Close and Houldgayt Moore within 10 days .. each 3s. 4d.

Robt. Pallister to make his fence between Acome Street and Poppleton Street and dyke it before Tuesday next 6s. 8d.

Robt. Hill to avoid one *gardeed* ox and one brown ox before St. Peter's Day [Aug. 1] and *to take order with them until that day* 10s. 0d.

All inhabitants of Acome and Houldgaytt to open all their water sewers before All Saints' Day [Nov. 1] and maintain them afterwards 3s. 4d.

The common well at the E. end of Acome to be adequately repaired before St. Luke's Day [Oct. 18] .. 12d.

Robt. Quartonn to repair the causeway in front of his door before All Saints' Day 3s. 4d.

The assessors were the whole homage. Total profits of this court [blank]. [Signed] *Examined by me Thos. Grene, Court Steward.*

View of Frankpledge with Court Baron 9 April 42 Eliz. [1600] before Thomas Grene, steward.

Essoins. Wm. Buttry by Wm. Prynce, Thos. Hill son of Robt. Hill by Peter Hill, Wm. Thackwray by [blank] Gill, snr., Tristram Vessye by John Vessie.

Free Tenants. John Ingleby, esq., Wm. Robinson of York, ald., Thos. Mosley of the same, ald., Thos. Newarke, gent., Tristram Tillesley, Vicar of Acome, John Austen and Robt. Frenche.

Customary Tenants. John Ingleby, esq., Thos. Mosley, ald., Thos. Newarke, gent., Leo. Weddell (essoins), Thos. Harbott, gent., Nic. Hodgson, Wm. Buttrye, (essoins), Wm. Maskue, Peter Hodgson, Thos. Slater, John Awderson, Thos. Peighen, John Hodgson, Jas. Hutchinson, Thos. Shipton (essoins), Kath. Specy, widow, (essoins), Eliz. Wright, widow, John Wilkinson and Jane, his wife, Geo. Gill, John Austen, Fran. Spacy, Thos. Plewman, Wm. Burdeux, Robt. Hill, Wm. Prince, Thos. Hill son of Robt. Hill (essoins), Peter Hill, Thos. Hill son of Wm. Hill, Wm. Thompson, Wm. Hill, Robt. Arthure, Adam Skadlocke, Peter Vessy (essoins), John Vessy of Acome, John Vessy of Houldgayt, Thos. Vessy of Acome, Geo. Loromer, Ric. Shipton, Thos. Walton, Thos. Graie, Robt. Miles and Jane, his wife, Kath. Newarke (essoins), Margaret Pallister, widow, Alice Burdeux, widow, Anne Plewman, widow, Roger Spacy and Anne his wife, Hy. Tone, Alice Wrighte, Jane Fairebarne, Wm. Thackwray (essoins), Wm. Cobstacke in right of Jane, his wife, Robt. Frenche, Wm. Kirkby, Thos. Plewman, snr., Thos. Plewman, jnr., John Atkinson, Tristram Vessy (essoins), Anthony Vessy, Wm. Gill, Jas. Metcalf, butcher, Percival Barnes, Robt. Pallister (defaulted), Thos. Swaile, cordwainer, Chris Ward, Dennis Bainbridge in right of Edith, his wife, Wm. Clerk, Chris. Walker, Chris. Waggett, and Ric. Wells.

Jurors. Wm. Maskue, Thos. Peighen, Fran. Spacy, Wm. Prince, Wm. Burdeux, Geo. Gill, Robt. French, John Hodgson, Wm. Hill, jnr., Thos. Plewman, Geo. Loromer, Jas. Metcalf, John Aulderson, Ric. Wells.

Verdict.

John Ingleby, Dennis Bainbridge, Wm. Clerke and Chris. Walker owed suit of court but defaulted and were each fined 4d.

John Lorimer died since the last court seised in reversion of 1 acre of land in Holgayt fields. Mary and Euphemia (*Effame*) Lorymer were his sisters and nearest heirs and were of age. Fine [unspecified].

John Wilkinson for not making his fences, in English, *did not rayle in*, on the Landes Endes according to the penalty imposed 3s. 4d.

Robt. Clerke, Thos. Hill, Peter Vessy and Robt. Hill for the like 3s. 4d.

All the inhabitants of Acomb because they *tereabant feltra sua*¹ on the Sabbath and other feast days contrary to the Statute 12d.

Wm. Buttrie for taking his sheep from the common pinfold without licence 3s. 4d.

Robt. Hill for making an affray on Hy. Skadlock and drawing blood 10s. 0d.

Wm. Thackwray surrendered per Geo. Gill and John Awther-sonne $\frac{1}{2}$ a. of land in Hobmoore Feild near the Hobmoore at the east side of Hobmoore Close to the use of Nic. Hodgson. Fine 18d.

Wm. Etherington of York, tailor, surrendered 2 cottages and 2 adjacent gardens, now in one, in Clifton to the use of Chris. Waggett and Isabel Dickinson (whom he was about to marry), remainder to the right heirs of Chris. Fine 13s. 4d.

At the court held on 6 Oct. 38 Eliz. [1596] Robt. Askwith, Wm. Robinson, Ralph Richardson, Jas. Birkbie, aldermen of York, Hy. Hall and Marmaduke Sothebie of York, gents., feoffees, on 31 July that year had surrendered per Wm. Maskue and Thos. Peighene a messuage, barn and garden in Holgaytt and $1\frac{1}{2}$ oxgangs of land in Houlgaytt Fields to the use of Wm. Beane for 21 yrs. He was to hold it immediately following the term granted to Robt. Mounckton at the court held 16 Nov. 32 Eliz. [1590] for 21 yrs. from the feast of St. Martin last at 26s. 8d. p.a. rent. Wm. Beane, snr. now surrendered the reversion, after the deaths of Wm. Beane, snr. and Bridget, his wife, to the use of Wm. Beane, jnr., his son, the latter to pay the feoffees 26s. 8d. p.a. Fine 13s. 4d.

Marginal note:— 'Hospital' [of St. Thomas without Micklegate Bar].

Penalties and Ordinances. [in English].

Robt. Wright of Houlgate and all other inhabitants of Holgate to repair the *well laythe* made by Mr. Alderman Mosely before Midsummer and as often as necessary, and supply it with a bucket and other necessities so long as it is used in common. Every person who refuses to pay his share to be fined 3s. 4d.

All inhabitants of Acome and Houldgate to *rile*² their Moore Land Ends and Hungrie Bitt Ends and Holgate Roude Ends between Mr. Mosley's Long Close and Holgate Moor before Whitsuntide next 3s. 4d.

No inhabitants to cut whins between Dikehorne Closes and Gravell Hill
Penalty, per load 10s., per burden 12d.

¹ Wore their felt hats.

² Rail.

Ald. Mosley to scour a water sewer from Houlgaitt Lane to the Bishoppfeilds Dike before Pentecost next .. 3s. 4d.

John Vessy of Houlgate to repair his house chimney because of the danger of fire before May Day .. 3s. 4d.

No inhabitants of Acome to give sheaves of corn on the field because much corn was stolen under pretence of giving sheaves 3s. 4d.

The inhabitants of Houlgate not to tether any horse or other animal in any cornfield after the field was sown, except with the consent of the byelawmen, and they were to make their garth ends adjoining the field within 6 days *for savinge of corne* 10s. 0d.

Mrs. Skadlock, widow, to scour a common water sewer from the Towne Gaitte by her garth side before Pentecost next 6s. 8d.

The assessors were the whole homage. Total profits of this court [blank].

View of Frankpledge with Court Baron 14 Oct. 42 Eliz. [1600] before Thomas Grene, steward.

Essoins. Leo. Weddell by Chris. Waggett, Kath. Spacie by Fran. Spacie, Thos. Hill son of Robt. Hill by Ric. Wells, Wm. Thompson by Guy Thompson.

Free Tenants. John Inglebie, esq., Wm. Robinson of York, ald., Thos. Mosley of York, ald., Thos. Newarke, gent., Tristram Tillesley, vicar of Acome, John Awsten and Robt. Frenche.

Customary Tenants. John Inglebie, esq., Thos. Mosley, ald., Thos. Newarke, gent., Leo. Weddell, Thos. Harbott, gent., Nic. Hodgson, Wm. Buttre, Wm. Maskue, Peter Hodgson, Thos. Slater (pardoned), John Aunderson, Thos. Peighen, John Hodgson (essoins), Jas. Hutchinson, Thos. Shipton, Kath. Spacie, widow, Eliz. Wright, widow (essoins), John Wilkinson and Jane, his wife, (essoins), Geo. Gill, John Awsten, Fran. Spacie, Thos. Plewman, snr., Wm. Burdeux, Robt. Hill (essoins), Wm. Prince (essoins), Thos. Hill son of Robt. Hill, Peter Hill (essoins), Thos. Hill son of Wm. Hill (essoins), Wm. Thompson, Wm. Hill, Robt. Arthur (deceased), Adam Skadlocke, Peter Vessie (essoins), John Vessie of Acomb (essoins), John Vessie of Holgate, Thos. Vessie of Acomb, Geo. Loromer, Ric. Shipton, Thos. Walton, Thos. Graie, Robt. Miles and Jane, his wife, Kath. Newarke (essoins), Margaret Pallister, widow (common fine), Alice Burdeux, widow, Anne Plewman, widow, Roger Spacie and Anne, his wife, Hy. Tone (essoins), Alice Wright, Jane Fairbarne, Wm. Thackwraie (essoins), Wm. Cobstacke in right of Jane, his wife, Robt. Frenche, Wm. Kirkbie, Thos. Plewman, jnr. (essoins), John Atkinson, Tristram Vessie, Anthony Vessie, Wm. Gill, Jas. Metcalf, butcher (essoins), Percival Barnes, Robt. Pallister, Thos. Swaile, cordwainer, Chris.

Warde, Dennis Bainbridge in right of Edith, his wife, Wm. Clerke, Chris. Walker (essoine), Chris. Waggett, Ric. Wells.

Jurors. Nic. Hodgson, Fran. Spacie, Wm. Burdeux, Geo. Gill, Thos. Plewman, snr., John Awsten, Thos. Walton, Thos. Davie, John Auderson, Wm. Prince, Thos. Shipton, John Vessie of Holgate, Chris Waggett.

Verdict.

John Inglebie, Thos. Newarke, Robt. Frenche, Thos. Harbott, Wm. Buttre, Peter Hodgson, Thos. Peighen, Jas. Hutchinsone, Wm. Hill, Roger Spacie, Jane Fairbarne, John Atkinson, Tristram Vessie, Anthony Vessie, Percival Barnes, Robt. Pallister, Thos. Swale, Chris. Warde, and Dennis Bainbridge owed suit of court but defaulted and were fined 4d. each.

Presentments.

Robt. Hill for keeping 2 oxen contrary to the penalty	10s.	0d.
Nic. Newarke for breaking the pinfold	3s.	4d.
Edw. Comes for an assault and affray on Thos. Vessie	3s.	4d.
Ric. Richardson for an assault and affray on Thos. Vessie, the common pinder, and drawing blood ..	10s.	0d.
Nic. Newark for the like offence	10s.	0d.
Wm. Cobstacke for an illegal recovery from the common pinder		20d.
Saml. Parker and Anne Plewman for the like offence each		20d.
Robt. Quarton for entertaining, receiving and keeping in his house a woman evilly disposed of her body ..	10s.	0d.
Robt. Miles for the like offence	10s.	0d.
Peter Maye for the like offence	10s.	0d.
Daniel Calley for breaking the <i>pinfoulde</i>	3s.	4d.
Robt. Hill for the like offence	3s.	4d.
Thos. Hill, jnr. for an assault		20d.
John Austen for lodging rogues and vagabonds ..		6d.
Robt. Wright for not fulfilling his duties in scouring the common well		6d.

Wm. Hill surrendered per Wm. Prince, Wm. Thompson and Thos. Hill 2 oxgangs and 1 acre of arable land in Acomb to the use of Alice Hill, his wife, one of the daughters of Robt. Prince of Over Poppleton, for life. Fine 42s.

John Wilkinson and Jane, his wife, surrendered per Nic. Hodgson and Wm. Burdeux a messuage, barn and toft or croft in Holgaite, lately in the tenure of Robt. Holgate and now of Robt. Wright, to the use of Wm. Maskue. Fine [unspecified].

John Atkinson surrendered per Fran. Spacie, John Awsten and Thos. Plewman an oxgang of arable land, called a *Broad Oxgang*, in Acome, lately in the tenure of Robt. Clerke to the use of Thos. Swaile. Fine [unspecified].

Election of Officers for Acome. Bailiffs, Thos. Mosley, ald., and Wm. Kirkbie; constable, Thos. Hill; ale tasters, Peter Hill and Wm.

Wright; fence viewers, Robt. Hill and Nic. Rainton; well scourers, Thos. Fourthe for the W. end and John Nicholson for the E. end.

Officers for Holgate. Bailiff, Jas. Pallister; constable, Leo. Cooke; fence viewers, John Vessie and Hy. Tone; viewer of the common wells, [blank].

Penalties and Ordinances. [in English].

Robt. Hill to avoid 2 oxen, one <i>garditt</i> and one brown before Lady Day	..	..	..	..	10s.	0d.
Master Newarke to avoid one <i>branditt</i> ox and a <i>garditt</i> ox	..	..	..	..	10s.	0d.
Thos. Hill to avoid a black ox before Lady Day	..				10s.	0d.
Master Mosley to avoid a <i>blackt beld</i> ox and a black ox before Lady Day	..	..	..	..	10s.	0d.
Thos. Hill to <i>flinge downe one Goulde Bothome Ende</i> before All Saints' Day [Nov. 1]	..	..	..	..	3s.	4d.
All inhabitants of Acome and Houlgaitt to scour their water sewers before All Saints' Day	..			..	3s.	4d.

View of Frankpledge with Court Baron 15 April 43 Eliz. [1601] before Thomas Grene, steward.

Essoins. Thos. Hill son of Wm. Hill by Guy Thompson, Tristram Vessy by Thos. Vessye.

Free Tenants. John Ingleby, Wm. Robinson of York, ald., Thos. Mosley of York, ald., Thos. Newarke, gent., Tristram Tillesley, vicar of Acomb, John Austen, Robt. French.

Customary Tenants. John Inglebye, esq., Thos. Mosley, ald., Thos. Newarke, gent., Leo. Weddell, Thos. Harbott, gent., Nic. Hodgson, Wm. Buttrye, Wm. Maskue, Peter Hodgson, Thos. Slater, John Auderson, Thos. Peighen, John Hodgson, Jas. Hutchinson, Thos. Shipton, Kath. Spacye, widow, Eliz. Wwright, widow, John Wilkinson and Jane, his wife, Geo. Gill, John Austen, Fran. Spacye, Thos. Plewman, snr., Wm. Burdeux, Robt. Hill, Wm. Prince, Thos. Hill son of Robt. Hill, Peter Hill, Thos. Hill son of Wm. Hill, Wm. Thompson, Wm. Hill, Robt. Arthur, (deceased), Adam Scadlocke, Peter Vessye, John Vessye of Acomb, (deceased), John Vessye of Houldgaite, Thos. Vessye of Acomb, Geo. Lorymer, Ric. Shipton, Thos. Walton, Thos. Graye, Robt. Milles and Jane, his wife, Kath. Newarke (essoins), Margaret Pallister, (common fine), Alice Burdeux, widow, Anne Plewman, Roger Spacye and Anne, his wife, Hy. Tone, Alice Wrichte, Jane Fairbarne, Wm. Thackwraie, Wm. Cobstake in right of Jane, his wife, Robt. Frenche, Wm. Kirkbye, Thos. Plewman, jnr., Tristram Vessie, Anthony Vessye, Wm. Gill, Jas. Metcalf, butcher, Percival Barnes, Robt. Pallister, Thos. Swale, cordwainer, Chris. Wade, Dennis Bainbrigge in right of Edith, his wife, Wm. Clerke, Chris. Walker, Chris. Waggett, Ric. Wells, Wm. Beane, jnr., in reversion after the death of his father, Margaret Arthure, widow, for 1 rood of land in Holdgate Ings.

Jurors. Robt. Frenche, Fran. Spacye, Wm. Burdeux, John Austen, Thos. Waltonn, Thos. Shipton, John Hodgson, Geo. Lorimer, John Awdersone, Jas. Metcalf, John Vessye of Holgate, Robt. Hill, Thos. Slater, Chris. Waggett.

Verdict.

John Inglebye, esq., Wm. Robinson, ald., Thos. Harbott, Wm. Maskue, Peter Hodgson, John Wilkinson, Peter Hill, Roger Spacie, Jane Fairbarne, Wm. Thackwraie, Wm. Kirkbye, Anthony Vessie, Percival Barnes, Robt. Pallister, Chris. Wayde, Dennis Baynbrigge and Wm. Clarke owed suit of court but defaulted and were each fined 4d.

John Lorymer of Acome died since the last court seised of 1 a. of land and appurtenances in Houlgaitt fields and Mary and Euphemia (*Effame*) Lorymer were his nearest heirs and were of age. Fine [unspecified].

Presentments.

Robt. Hill because he <i>did not avoide twoo oxen</i>	..	10s.	0d.
Thos. Newarke and Thos. Mosley for the like offence	each	10s.	0d.
Thos. Mosley for not making his fences between his land and Geo. Gill's	.. .. .		8d.
Thos. Annotson, John Wilkinson and Hy. Quarton for a similar offence	.. .. .		6d.
Thos. Tillesley for not scouring the water sewer in his garden	.. .. .		6d.

Ric. Welles surrendered a croft, barn and 1 a. of arable land with appurtenances in Clifton, in the tenure of Thos. Wilson, to the use of Thos. Wilson for the remainder of a term of 21 yrs. which Ric. Welles lately had from Thos. Mosley. Thos. Wilson to pay Thos. Mosley 20s. p.a. rent as in the deed of 3 Oct. 41 Eliz. [1599]. Fine [unspecified].

Penalties and Ordinances. [in English].

Robt. Hill to <i>avoide twoo oxen, the one garded and the other browen</i> before 20 Aug.	10s.	0d.
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Master Thos. Newarke to <i>avoide twoo oxen, the one branded and the other garded</i> before 20 Aug.	10s.	0d.
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Master Mosley to <i>avoide a blacke beld oxe and a blacke oxe</i> before 20 Aug.	10s.	0d.
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John Wrighte of Howlegaite to keep his horses off the moor until four of his neighbours agreed they were cured of the <i>scabb</i>	6s.	8d.
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Wm. Grenupp of Howlegaite ordered likewise	..	6s.	8d.
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No inhabitant of Houlgait to take more than his stint of whins from the Little Moore, viz. 1 load for every messuage and $\frac{1}{2}$ load for every cottage

Penalty, every load 10s., every burden	12d.
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No inhabitants of Acomb to take whins from Acome Moore between the Gravill Hilles and the Dikehorne closes	per load 10s. and per burden	12d.
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Mr. Hodgson to keep his scabbed horses off Acome Moore until they were sound and had been viewed by 4 bye-law men 6s. 8d.
 All inhabitants of Acome to *stie their swine* at night . . 3s. 4d.
 Master Newarke to *avoide one baie colte with a white starne* before Whit Sunday 10s. 0d.
 Mr. Mosely to repair his causeway in Poppleton Street before Whit 6s. 8d.
 Robt. Pallister was ordered likewise 6s. 8d.
 The inhabitants of Houlegait to scour the water sewer at Willowe Brigge, mend the wain way, Gowelande Yeate and Robt. Pallister's house before Whitsuntide . . 10s. 0d.
 Wm. Grenupp to scour his water sewer at the Willow Tree as far as the Carr before Whitsuntide 12d.
 All inhabitants of Acome and Houlgaite to *avoid their undersettles*¹ before Whitsuntide 10s. 0d.
 Robt. Arthure surrendered per John Awsten and Hy. Tone 1 acre of land in Follie Milne Feilde to the use of John Arthure, his son. Fine [unspecified].
 The assessors were the whole homage. Total profits of this court [blank].

View of Frankpledge with Court Baron 7 Oct. 43 Eliz. [1601] before Thomas Grene, steward.

Essoins. John Inglebye, esq., by Guy Thompson, John Hodgson by John Awderson, Thos. Shipton by Peter Hill, John Vessye of Houlgait by Wm. Maskue.

Free Tenants. John Inglebye, esq., Wm. Robinson of York, ald., Thos. Mosley of the same, ald., Thos. Newarke, gent. (essoins), Tristram Tillesley, vicar of Acome, John Awsten and Robt. Frenche.

Customary Tenants. John Inglebye, esq., Thos. Mosley, ald., Thos. Newarke, gent. (essoins), Leo. Weddle, Thos. Harbott of York, ald., Nic. Hodgson (essoins), Wm. Buttrie (essoins), Wm. Maskue, Peter Hodgson, Thos. Slater (ill), John Awderson, Thos. Peighen (pardoned), John Hodgson, Jas. Hutchinson, Thos. Shipton, Kath. Spacie, widow (essoins), Eliz. Wright, widow (essoins), John Wilkinson and Jane, his wife, Geo. Gill, John Awsten, Fran. Spacie (essoins), Thos. Plewman, snr. (essoins), Wm. Burdeux, Robt. Hill, Wm. Prince, Thos. Hill son of Robt. Hill, Peter Hill, Thos. Hill son of Wm. Hill, Wm. Thompson (essoins), Wm. Hill (essoins), Robt. Arthur (deceased), Adam Scadlocke, Peter Vessie (essoins), John Vessie of Acomb (deceased), John Vessie of Holgate, Thos. Vessie of Acome (essoins), Geo. Lorymer, Ric. Shipton, Thos. Walton (essoins), Thos. Graie, Jane Fairbarne, Wm. Thackwraye, Wm. Cobstake in right of Jane, his wife, Robt. Milles and Jane, his wife, Kath. Newarke (essoins), Margaret Pallister, widow (deceased), Alice Burdeux, widow, Anne

¹ Get rid of their lodgers.

Plewman, widow, Roger Spacie and Anne, his wife, Hy. Tone (essoine), Alice Wrichte, Robt. French, Wm. Kirkbye, Thos. Plewman, jnr. (essoine), Tristram Vessye (essoine), Anthony Vessye, Wm. Gill, Jas. Metcalf, butcher, (essoine), Percival Barnes, Robt. Pallister, cordwainer, Thos. Swayle, Chris. Waide (ill), Dennis Bainbrigg in right of Edith, his wife, Wm. Clarke, Chris. Walker, Chris. Wagget, Thos. Wilson, Wm. Beane, jnr., in reversion after the death of his father (essoine), Margaret Arthure, widow, for 1 rood of meadow in Houlgait and Robt. Cooke.

Jurors. Wm. Maskue, Fran. Spacie, John Wilkinson, John Awesten, Geo. Lorymer, John Awderson, Geo. Gill, Robt. Hill, Thos. Hill, Wm. Burdeux, Ric. Shipton, Robt. Pallister.

Verdict.

Wm. Robinson, ald., Leo. Weddell, Peter Hodgson, Jas. Hutchinson, Wm. Thackwraie, Wm. Cobstake, Robt. Milles, Alice Burdeux, Roger Spacie, Wm. Kirkbye, Anthony Vessie, Wm. Gill, Percival Barnes, Dennis Bainbrigg, Chris. Walker, Chris. Waggett, and Margaret Arthur owed suit of court but defaulted and were each fined 4d.

Presentments.

Robt. Hill for keeping 2 oxen contrary to the penalty	10s.	0d.
Thos. Newarke because he did not avoid but kept 1 ox	10s.	0d.
Thos. Mosely for the like offence	10s.	0d.
John Wrichte for allowing his infected horses to go at large on Houlgaite common to the prejudice of his neighbours	6s.	8d.
Wm. Greneupp for the like offence	6s.	8d.
Geo. Bell for making 2 separate recoveries from the common pinder	3s.	4d.
John Bee for taking <i>whines</i> from Acome common		12d.
Edw. Crosbye for taking a cart load of <i>whines</i>	3s.	4d.
Margaret Arter for keeping Anne Peckytt, Mary Fourth and Tristram Tillesley's daughter in her tenement in Acome, they being <i>undersettles</i> ¹	10s.	0d.
Wm. Wright, John Vessye and Nic. Hodgson for the like offence	each	10s. 0d.

Thos. Swaile surrendered per Fran. Spacie and Thos. Plewman 1 oxgang of land in Acome fields called a *Brode Oxgange*, lately in the tenure of Robt. Clarke, to the use of Wm. Maskue for 19 yrs. from Michaelmas last [Sept. 29] at 8d. p.a. rent. Fine [unspecified].

Thos. Mosley of York, ald., surrendered 1 oxgang of land in Houlgaite and the meadow and pasture belonging to another oxgang to the use of Robt. Franch for 15 yrs. from Michaelmas last at £3 6s. 8d. p.a. rent, payable to Thos. Mosley. Thos. Mosley to be allowed to re-enter the land in the last year to plough the fallow. Fine [unspecified].

¹ See note, p. 93.

Adam Scadlocke surrendered per Geo. Gill and Robt. Hill a messuage, barn, garden and croft in Acome to the use of Robt. Cooke for 21 yrs. from Whitsuntide last paying to Adam 26s. 8d. p.a. rent. Robt. Cooke to repair the messuage and other buildings, except the main timbers. Fine [unspecified].

Thos. Newarke surrendered per Fran. Spacie and Peter Hill 4 oxgangs of arable land, pasture and meadow with the Cargaits and Faughgaits and also $\frac{1}{2}$ oxgang of meadow in Acome fields (being half of 8 oxgangs of land and 1 oxgang of meadow formerly in the tenure of Peter Newarke, esq., deceased, father of Thos.) to the use of Wm. Burdeux for 12 yrs. from the feast of St. Martin in Winter next [Nov. 11] at £3 6s. 8d. p.a. rent payable to Thos. Newarke. Fine [unspecified].

Thos. Newarke also surrendered per Fran. Spacie and Peter Hill 4 oxgangs of land with the Cargaits and Faughgaits and $\frac{1}{2}$ oxgang of meadow in Acome, formerly of Peter Newarke, esq., deceased, his father, to the use of Wm. Maskue for 12 yrs. from the feast of St. Martin in Winter next paying £3 6s. 8d. p.a. rent to Thos. Newarke. Thos. Newarke to have the right of re-entry in the last year in order to plough the fallowes. Fine [unspecified].

Election of Officers for Acome. Reeves, Thos. Plewman and Wm. Maskue; constable, Thos. Fyrthe; ale tasters, Lancelot Scadlocke and John Darcie; fence viewers, Fran. Spacie and Ric. Shipton; well scourers, John Ellison for the E. end and Geo. Walker for the W. End.

Officers for Holgaite. Reeves, Alice Burdeux, Wm. Maskue and Nic. Hodgson; constable, Wm. Burdeux; fence viewers, Robt. Pallister and Lewis [?] Cooke.

John Fawldington was to pave and make a sufficient causeway at his close end in the street leading to Popleton before Martinmas [Nov. 11] 10s. 0d.

Leo. Cooke to make a sufficient causeway before his house and close before Martinmas 3s. 4d.

Mr. Hodgson to make a sufficient causeway before his garth between Wm. Greneup's gate and Robt. Smyth's house end before Martinmas 6s. 8d.

No inhabitant of Acome to get *Whinnes* between Gravill Hill and Dykeharne Closes
Penalty, per load 10s., and per burden 12d.

All were to scour their water sewers before All Saints' Day [Nov. 1] 3s. 4d.

The assessors were the whole homage. Total profits of this court, [blank].

View of Frankpledge and Court Baron 7 April 44 Eliz. [1602] before Thomas Grene, steward.

Essoins. Wm. Prince by Wm. Hill, Tristram Vessye by Peter Vessye.

Free Tenants. John Ingleby, esq., Wm. Robinson of York, ald., Thos. Mosley of York, ald., Thos. Newarke, gent (essoyn), Tristram Tillesley, Vicar of Acomb, John Awsten, Robt. French (essoyn).

Customary Tenants. John Ingleby, Thos. Mosley, ald., Thos. Newarke, gent. (essoyn), Leo. Weddell, Thos. Harbott of York, ald., Nic. Hodgson, Wm. Buttrye, Wm. Maskue, Peter Hodgson, Thos. Slater (ill), John Awderson, Thos. Peighen, John Hodgson, Jas. Hutchinson (essoyn), Thos. Shipton, Kath. Spacye, widow, Eliz. Wreighte, widow, John Wilkinson and Jane, his wife, Geo. Gill (ill), John Awsten, Fran. Spacye (ill), Thos. Plewman, snr., Wm. Burdeux, Robt. Hill, Wm. Prince, Thos. Hill, son of Robt. Hill (essoyn), Peter Hill (essoyn), Thos. Hill son of Wm. Hill, Wm. Thompson (essoyn), Wm. Hill, Robt. Arthur (deceased), Adam Skadlock, Peter Vessie, John Vessie of Acome, (deceased), John Vessie of Houlgaite, Thos. Vessye of Acome, Geo. Loromer, Ric. Shipton, Thos. Walton, Thos. Graye, Robt. Millnes and Jane, his wife, Kath. Newarke, Margaret Pallister, widow, Alice Burdeux, widow, Anne Plewman, widow, Roger Spacye and Anne, his wife, Hy. Tone, Alice Wreight, Jane Fairbarne, Wm. Thackwraye, Wm. Cobstake in right of Jane, his wife, Robt. French (essoyn), Wm. Kirkbye, Thos. Plewman, jnr., Tristram Vessye, Anthony Vessie, Wm. Gill, Jas. Metcalf, butcher, Percival Barnes (essoyn), Robt. Pallister, Thos. Swaile, cordwainer (pardoned), Chris. Waide (pardoned), Denis Bainbridge in right of Edith, Wm. Clarke, Chris. Walker, Chris. Waggett, Thos. Wilson, Wm. Beane, jnr., in reversion after his father's death, Margaret Arthur, widow, for 1 rood of meadow in Holgate Ings, John Arthur, under age, and Robt. Cooke.

Jurors. Wm. Maskue, Nic. Hodgson, Thos. Peighen, John Wilkinson, John Awsten, Roger Spacye, Thos. Plewman, Geo. Lorymer, John Awderson, Wm. Burdeux, Thos. Shipton, Jas. Metcalf, Thos. Hill, Thos. Graye.

Verdict. John Ingleby, Wm. Robinson, ald., Leo. Weddell, Thos. Harbott, ald., Peter Hodgson, Kath. Spacy, widow, Margaret Pallister, Jane Fairbarne, Wm. Thackwraye, Anthony Vessye, Dennis Bainbridge, Thos. Wilson, and Chris. Waggett owed suit of court but defaulted and were fined 4d. each.

Presentments.

John Farrington for not making a sufficient pavement and road at the end of his close in Holgaite contrary to the penalty imposed	.. .. .	10s.	0d.
Thos. Davison of Dringhowses for taking away <i>six</i> <i>burden of whines</i> from Acome moor	.. .. .	6s.	0d.
Arthur Usher for the like default	.. .. .	6s.	0d.
Thos. Dinington [?] of Dringhowses for taking <i>one</i> <i>waine load of whines</i> from the common moor of Acome	.. .. .	10s.	0d.
Robt. Fawcet for taking 6 burdens of whins	.. .. .	6s.	0d.
John Dene of Dringhowses for the like default	.. .. .	6s.	0d.

Thos. Meilbie of Dringhowses, Hy. Wharton, Hy. Skadlock, Robt. Skadlock, Ric. Shipton, Robt. Wharton, Kath. Tayler and Emmotte Tayler for taking 2 burdens each	each	2s. 0d.
Peter Scadlock, Wm. Jeffreyson and Mrs. Vessye for 1 burden	each	12d.
Ric. Shipton for disclosing secret council of his colleagues		3s. 4d.
Geo. Gill for not making his fences on the common at the Garth Ends to the annoyance of his neighbours ..		3s. 4d.
Fran. Spacye for the like default		3s. 4d.
Gilbert Judson and Robt. Wreight for not selling ale at the price fixed by the ale-tasters	each	12d.

Penalties. [in English].

Fran. Spacie, Robt. Hill, Adam Scadlock, John Ellis, Robt. Milnes and Wm. Burdeux were to pay 6d. for every messuage and 3d. for a cottage before Pentecost for the repair of the well at the E. end of the town. Payments to be made to Thos. Plewman and Guy Thompson each 6s. 8d.

Robt. Pallister, Leo. Cook, John Vessye, Hy. Tone and all other inhabitants of Hollgaite to scour the well at the town gate and repair it before Pentecost each 6s. 8d.

Inhabitants and others with rights on the common of Acome were to have 2 loads of turves for every messuage and 1 load for every cottage and no more 3s. 4d.

Geo. Gill to lay open a piece of common he had lately taken from Acomb Moor before Pentecost 20s. 0d.

Fran. Spacie was likewise to lay open the piece of common which he had lately taken from Acome Common before Pentecost 20s. 0d.

Wm. Wright to fill in the ditch he had made at the garth ends before 1 May so that wains might pass as they were accustomed 3s. 4d.

Fran. Spacye to remove two infected horses from the common within 6 days 3s. 4d.

John Gill, Peter Hill and Guy Thompson were ordered likewise each 3s. 4d.

The assessors were the whole homage. Total profits of this court [blank].

View of Frankpledge with Court Baron 6 Oct. 44 Eliz. [1602] before Thomas Grene, steward.

Essoins. John Awderson by Alice Wreight, John Wilkinson by Tristram Tillesley, John Hodgson by Percival Barnes.

Free Tenants. John Ingleby, esq., Wm. Robinson of York, ald., Thos. Mosley of York, ald., Thos. Newarke, gent., Tristram Tillesley, vicar of Acome, John Awsten and Robt. French (essoins).

Customary Tenants. John Ingleby, Thos. Mosley, ald., Thos. Newarke, gent., Leo. Weddell (deceased), Thos. Harbott of York, ald., Nic. Hodgson (essoyn), Wm. Buttre (alienated), Wm. Maskue, Peter Hodgson, Thos. Slater, John Awderson, Thos. Peighen (essoyn), John Hodgson, Jas. Hutchinson, Thos. Shipton (essoyn), Kath. Spacie, widow (essoyn), Eliz. Wreighte, widow (essoyn), John Wilkin-son and Jane, his wife, Geo. Gill, John Awsten, Fran. Spacie, Thos. Plewman, snr., Wm. Burdeux, Robt. Hill, Wm. Prince, Thos. Hill son of Robt. Hill (essoyn), Peter Hill, Thos. Hill, son of Wm. Hill Wm. Thompson, Wm. Hill, John Arthur, Adam Scadlock, Peter Vessie (essoyn), John Vessy of Holgaite, Thos. Vessie of Acome, Geo. Loromer, Ric. Shipton (essoyn), Thos. Walton, Thos. Graie, Robt. Mills and Jane, his wife, Kath. Newark (essoyn), Alice Burdeux, widow, Anne Plewman, widow, Roger Spacie and Anne, his wife, Hy. Tone, Alice Wreighte, Jane Fairbarne, Wm. Thackwraie, Wm. Cobstake in right of Jane, his wife, Robt. French, Wm. Kirkbye, Thos. Plewman, jnr., (essoyn), Tristram Vessie (essoyn), Anthony Vessie, Wm. Gill, Jas. Metcalfe, butcher (essoyn), Percival Barnes, Jas. Pallister, Robt. Pallister, Thos. Swale, cordwainer, (pardoned), Chris. Waide, Dennis Bainbrigge in right of Edith Bainbrige, his wife, Robt. Methame (essoyn), Wm. Clarke (essoyn), Chris. Walker, Chris. Wagget, Thos. Wilson, Wm. Beane, jnr., in reversion after his father's death (pardoned), Margaret Arthur, widow, for 1 rood of meadow in Holgaite Ings, John Arthur, under age, and Robt. Cook.

Jurors. Wm. Maskue, John Awdersonn, Fran. Spacie, Thos. Plewman, Geo. Lorimer, Wm. Thompson, Wm. Burdeux, Geo. Gill, Wm. Prince, Peter Hill, Guy Thomson, Thos. Graie, Robt. Hill, Thos. Walton.

Presentments.

John Ingleby, Thos. Harbott, Jas. Hutchinson, Thos. Hill son of Wm. Hill, Wm. Thomson, Roger Spacie, Wm. Thackwraie, Robt. French and Thos. Wilson owed suit of court but defaulted and were fined 4d. each.

Robt. Mills for not paying Guy Thomson and Thos. Plewman 6d. for scouring and repairing the well at the E. end of Acomb according to the order made at the last court

6s. 8d.

Geo. Gill for not laying open a piece of common as ordered at the last court

20s. 0d.

Fran. Spacie for the like default

20s. 0d.

Gilbert Judgson for selling ale contrary to the assize

12d.

Robt. Wreight for the like offence

12d.

Thos. Laycocke for breaking the lord's pound and taking away his cattle

3s. 4d.

Leo. Weddell of Clifton had died since the last court seised of 1 a. of meadow in Clifton.

Wm. Thackwraie surrendered per Geo. Gill and Peter Hill a cottage, garden and $\frac{1}{2}$ a. of arable land next Lee White Close Side in Acome to the use of Geo. Beane from the feast of St. Martin in

Winter last [Nov. 11] for 12 yrs. at a rent of 16s. p.a. Geo. Beane to pay all rents and services due to the lord and to repair the cottage at his own expence (main timbers excepted). Fine [unspecified].

Thos. Swaile surrendered per Wm. Thomson and Wm. Hill a messuage and 1 oxgang of meadow called a *narrow oxgange* in Acomb fields, in Thos. Plewman's occupation, for a term of [unspecified] yrs. to the use of Wm. Prince. Fine [unspecified].

Wm. Buttre surrendered per Peter Hill and Wm. Hill 1 a. of meadow in Acomb Ings called a *Clifton Acre* to the use of Wm. Prince. Fine [unspecified].

On 23 Nov. 44 Eliz. [1601] Robt. Cooke and Adam Scadlocke surrendered per John Awsten, Thos. Plewman and Fran. Spacie a croft lying against the Kirkrods in Acomb and lately in the occupation of Adam Scadlocke to the use of Peter Hill for 21 yrs. from Whit Sunday last at an annual rent of 1d. Fine [unspecified].

At the court held on 7 Oct. 43 Eliz. [1601] Adam Scadlock surrendered a messuage, barn, garden and croft to the use of Robt. Cooke for 21 yrs. from Whitsuntide last at 26s. 8d. p.a. rent. Robt. Cooke was admitted and paid 13s. 4d. fine. It was now presented that on 23 Nov. 1601 he had surrendered the premises per Geo. Gill, Thos. Plewman and Fran. Spacie and quitclaimed them to the said Adam.

Thos. Atkinson in right of Margaret, his wife, was in possession of a messuage, garden and barn in Acomb for a term of years at an annual rent payable to John Awsten as in the deed granted by him to Margaret, by the name of Margaret Burdeux in her widowhood. Thos. Atkinson and Margaret came to the court and surrendered the premises per Geo. Gill and Peter Hill to the use of John Awsten. Fine [unspecified].

Election of Officers for Acome. Reeve, Thos. Plewman; constable, John Awsten; ale tasters, Thos. Tillesley and Hy. Wharton; scourer of wells for the west part [omission] and for the east part of Acome, Wm. Cobstake; viewers of fences, Fran. Spacie and Thos. Annatson.

Election of Officers for Holgate. Reeve, Jas. Pallister; constable, Hy. Tone; viewers of fences, Peter Burton and Thos. Blande.

The assessors were the whole homage. Total profits of this court [blank].

Court Baron of Henry Newarke of Ascum, gent., 3 Aug. 10 Jas. 1 [1612] before Thomas Grene, steward.

Free Tenants. Thos. Ingleby, esq., Wm. Robinson of York, ald., Thos. Mosley of York, ald., Thos. Herbert of York, ald., Thos. Newarke, gent., Jos. Maskue, vicar of Acome, and Thos. Meilbye.

Customary Tenants. Thos. Ingleby, esq., Thos. Mosley, ald., Thos. Newarke, gent., Thos. Harbert, ald., Percival Hodgson and Anne, his wife, Wm. Maskew, Thos. Peighen, Jas. Hutchinson, Thos. Shipton, Wm. Wright of York, John Wilkinson and Jane, his wife,

Geo. Gill, John Awsten, Fran. Spacie, Thos. Plewman, Wm. Burdeux, Robt. Hill, Wm. Prince, Peter Hill, Thos. Hill son of Wm. Hill, Wm. Hill, Peter Vessey, Thos. Vessey of Acomb, Geo. Lorrimer, Thos. Walton and Joan, his wife, Michael Faux in right of Catherine, his wife, Roger Spacye, Hy. Toone, Alice Wright, Wm. Cobstake in right of Jane, his wife, Robt. French, Tristram Vessey, John Gill, Jas. Metcalfe, butcher, Jas. Pallester, Thos. Swaile, cordwainer, Wm. Beane, jnr., Edw. Vawster in right of Margaret, his wife, for 1 rood of meadow in Holgate Ings, John Arthur, Chris. Hodgson, Dennis Bainbridge in right of Edith, his wife, Robt. Metham, Margaret Weddell, Robt. Weddell, Robt. Walker, Chris. Waggett, Thos. Wilson, Thos. Sandwith, Thos. Manners in right of Mary Lorrimer, his wife, Euphemia (*Effame*) Lorrimer, Joan Walton for 1 rood in the Milne Feild, John Sleighthome in right of Mary, his wife, Roger Lishman in right of Mary, his wife, Robt. Bland and John Bland, his son, Humphrey Hodgson, Robt. Skadlock, son of Adam Skadlocke, Thos. Skott in right of Anne Hodgson, his wife, and Chris. Wreight.

Jurors. Wm. Burdeux, Fran. Spacie, Thos. Plewman, Jas. Metcalfe, Wm. Prince, Thos. Hill, Thos. Shipton, Wm. Hill, Jas. Pallester, Geo. Lorrimer, Robt. Bland, Thos. Meilbye, Hy. Toone, Wm. Wright.

Verdict. Wm. Robinson, a free tenant, and Jas. Hutchinson, Roger Spacy and Thos. Sandwith, customary tenants, for default of suit of court were fined 4d. each.

John Marshall and Isabel, his wife, had died and Tristram Marshall of Clifton was their son and nearest heir, according to evidence given to the jurors by John Wells and Peter Hill.

Presentments.

John Lambe because his wife broke the pinfold	..	3s.	4d.
John Marston for allowing his pigs to lie in the cornfield at night	.. .. .	8s.	0d.
And for breaking the pinfold and retrieving his horses		3s.	4d.
And for an assault and affray on Robt. Skadlock	..	6s.	8d.
John Lambe for allowing his fences to fall down against the cornfield	.. .. .		12d.
And for breaking the pinfold	.. .. .	3s.	4d.

On 27 Apl. 1609 Hy. Toone of Holgate surrendered per Robt. French, Wm. Prince and Wm. Hill a cottage with an orchard on the back side thereof in Holgate to the use of Esther Smyth, to whom he is now married, for life. Fine 26s. 8d.

Thos. Fairbarne of Appleton, labourer, on 11 June 1612 surrendered per Wm. Burdeux and Jas. Metcalfe 1 r. of arable land at the end of the garden called the *Garth Ends* in Holgate and a garden on which a house or cottage was lately built to the use of Thos. Mosley of York, ald. Fine 21s.

Robt. Walker of York, jnr., surrendered 1 r. of land in Clifton being the moiety of $\frac{1}{2}$ a. lying near the Tilehouses in the Milnefield to the use of John Wells. Fine 4s.

Thos. Mosley of York, ald., on 26 April 1610 surrendered per Thos. Peighen and Jas. Metcalfe a cottage, toft and croft or orchard and 1 a. of land in Clifton to the use of Robt. Metham. Fine 33s. 4d.

Jas. Storye and Clare, his wife, surrendered per John Awsten and Thos. Walton a parcel of arable land called a *Wetland* containing 1 r. to the use of Robt. Skadlock, jnr. Fine 5s.

Phyllis Hodgson, widow, in her last illness, but in perfect memory, surrendered on 8 June 1612 per John Awsten and Robt. Bland, Stones Close near Hobmoore to the use of Joyce Hodgson, her natural daughter, and the heirs of her body, remainder to Jas. Hodgson, son of Phyllis, and the heirs of his body, remainder to Anne Walker, wife of Brian Walker, and to Isabel Kidson, wife of Geo. Kidson, sisters of the said Phyllis. Fine £4 10s.

Geo. Lorrimer of Knapton surrendered per Wm. Burdeux and Thos. Plewman 1 Broad Halfe Acre of the Karr Side, 1 Long Rood there, next to Wm. Wright's land, 1 r. called a *Mellgate* in the Farr Feild next Fran. Spacye's land, $\frac{1}{2}$ r. in the Milnefeild called a *Bittamell Sike* and $\frac{1}{2}$ r. in the Pellitraynes next the land of Fran. Spacie to the use of Wm. Cobstake and – [blank], his wife. Fine 24s.

John Awsten and Thos. Awsten surrendered on . . . June 1612 per Thos. Plewman and Thos. Vessey 1 Owse Acre next the lands of Jas. Metcalfe and Fran. Spacie, 1 Hinging Cliffe, $\frac{1}{2}$ a. next the lands of Fran. Spacie and Peter Hill, 1 Midfurthland next the lands of Wm. Maskew, gent., and John Wilkinson, 1 Cowlt Halfe Acare next the lands of Fran. Spacie and Wm. Cobstake, and 1 Marr next the lands of Fran. Spacye and Jas. Metcalfe, with appurtenances in Acomb fields to the use of Thos. Meilbye, jnr., of Askum. Fine 35s.

Wm. Thomson of Popleton (in his last illness but of perfect memory) surrendered in 1610 per Wm. Prince and Thos. Hill 3 a. of arable land, 1 oxgang of meadow in Owse Ings, 1 Oxgange Dale in the West Ings, 1 Whadale in the West Ings, 2 Feildgates and 2 Cargates in Acomb to the use of Margaret Thomson and Barbara Thomson, his daughters. Fine 35s.

Alice Smyth and Isabel Catton surrendered per John Awsten and Thos. Plewman $\frac{1}{2}$ a. called a Longland in the Intack in Acome to the use of Hy. Toan. Fine 6s.

Peter Hill surrendered per Wm. Burdeux, Robt. Hill and Thos. Vessey a croft containing $\frac{1}{2}$ a. in Acome fields to the use of Robt. Skadlock, jnr. Fine 15s.

Wm. Beane of Holgate surrendered per Robt. Hill and Hy. Toan a moiety of a messuage in which he lived in Holgate and of a barn, garden and oxgang of land and *a moiety of a moiety* of an oxgang of land and meadow in Holgate to the use of Geo. Beane, his brother, for 19 yrs. from the feast of St. Martin in Winter next paying to the lord half the rent for the messuage and repairing the moiety thereof and of the ways, hedges, fences and ditches. Fine £3.

[Much of the right hand side of this membrane is faded, worn and illegible.] Robt. French of Holgate on . . . 1608 surrendered per Peter Hill, Thos. Hill and Thos. Pl[ewman] a cottage, a barn,

... a croft in Holgate and 2 roods of arable land ... [containing] $\frac{1}{2}$ a. called a *Garbread* near the Willo[w Bridge], ... called a *Breckon-hill* lying in Follye Milne Feild and $\frac{1}{2}$ a. of land lying in the Maine Ing, ... to the use of Robt. Hill of Holgate, husbandman. Fine £4.

Robt. French of Holgate [had surrendered] on 30 ... 1611 per Thos. Peighen and Jas. Metcalfe ... a messuage or tenement, a barn, a byre and a garden in Holgate also 6 a. of land in the Follow Milne Field and 2 a. in the ... Field to the use of Robt. Watter, kt. Proviso that if Robt. Frenche ... asked that Robt. Watter gave security to Master Smyth for the debts of him the said Robt. Franch ... otherwise it should stand in full force Fine £4.

Kath. Harrison, wife of Robt. Harrison on 6 July 1611 [?] [had surrendered] per Fran. Spacy and Thos. Plewman ... a messuage and an oxgang of meadow and pasture and 5 a. of land in ... [blank] to the use of Robt. Harrison, her husband and the heirs of their bodies, remainder to the right heirs of Robt. Fine £9.

On 3 May 1612 Robt. Harrison and Kath., his wife, surrendered per Wm. Burdeux and Peter Hill a messuage or tenement, garden and 1 oxgang of arable land, meadow and pasture in Acome to the use of Thos. Mosley. Fine £4 10s.

Penalties and Ordinances. [in English].

No inhabitant of Holgate to cut any *whinnes* on Holgate Little Moore without consent of a byelaw ..

Penalty per load 10s., per burden 12d.

No inhabitant of Acomb to cut whins on Acome Moor between Gravel Hills and Dikehorne Close without consent of a byelaw

Penalty per load 10s., per burden 12d.

John Lambe, Chris. Wright and all other inhabitants of Acome to sty up their swine at night 3s. 4d.

John Lambe to make up his croft fence before 10 Aug. next 3s. 4d.

Each inhabitant of Acome to make up his pound fold before 10 Aug. 3s. 4d.

No inhabitant of Acome to *tente or teather* a horse or other animal in the Chappell Feild without consent of a byelaw 3s. 4d.

All Loskar Ends to be sufficiently repaired before 20 Aug. 3s. 4d.

All inhabitants of Holgate to make up and maintain their fences on the Greate Ings and the Intack .. 12d.

The assessors were the whole homage. Total profits of this court, [blank]. By me Thos. Grene, steward.

View of Frankpledge with Court Baron of Henry Newarke, gent., 3 Aug. 10 James 1, 1612.

John Awsten and Thos. Awsten surrendered per Thos. Plewman and Thos. Vessey a Hingancliffe Halfe Acre, land called a *Midforth*

Land, $\frac{1}{2}$ a. called a Colthalf Acre and a piece of land called a *Marr*, in Akam fields, to the use of Thos. Mealby, jnr. Fine 40s.

Phyllis Hodgson surrendered per [blank] a close called *Stones Close* next to Hobmore to the use of Joyce Hodgson and her lawfully begotten heirs. Fine £3.

Geo. Lorimer surrendered per Wm. Burdus and Thos. Plewman 1 a. and 3 r. of arable land within the manor of Akam to the use of Wm. Cobstake and Jane, his wife, remainder to the heirs of Wm. Fine 16s.

Thos. Mosley, ald., surrendered per [blank] a cottage, croft or orchard, a toft and 1 a. of land in Clifton to the use of Thos. Metham. Fine 33s. 4d.

Jas. Story and Clara, his wife, surrendered per Wm. Burdus and Thos. Vessey a piece of land called *Wetland*, 1 r., lying in [blank] to the use of Robt. Skadlocke, jnr. Fine 5s.

Peter Hill surrendered per Wm. Burdus and Thos. Vessey a croft containing $\frac{1}{2}$ a. in Akam to the use of Robt. Skadlocke, jnr. Fine 15s.

Robt. French surrendered per [blank] a cottage with a barn, an orchard and a croft and 2 a. of land in Acomb and Holgate to the use of Robt. Hill. Fine 40s.

Wm. Beane surrendered per Robt. Hill and Hy. Toane $\frac{1}{2}$ messuage, $\frac{1}{2}$ barn, $\frac{1}{2}$ garden, $\frac{3}{4}$ oxgang of land with meadow and appurtenances in Holgate to the use of Geo. Beane for 19 yrs. Fine 40s.

Alice Smyth and Isabel Catton surrendered per Robt. French, Wm. Prynce and Wm. Hill $\frac{1}{2}$ a. in Holgate Intacke to the use of Hy. Toane. Fine 4s. 6d.

On 30 Sept. 1611 Robt. French of Holgate surrendered per Thos. Peighen and Jas. Metcalfe a messuage, barn, byre and a barn [interlineated] in Holgate, 6 a. of land in Followmilnefeilde and 2 a. in the Moorefeilde to the use of Robt. Watter, kt. Proviso that if Robt. French paid Robt. Watter the money which the latter had given to Master Smyth as security for his (Robt. French's) debt this surrender to be void. Fine £4.

Wm. Thompson surrendered per Wm. Prynce and Thos. Hill 3 a. of arable land, 1 oxgang of meadow, 1 Oxgangdale and 1 Whadale, 2 Feildgates and 2 Carrgates in Akamb to the use of Margaret Thompson and Barbara Thompson. Fine 51s.

**View of Frankpledge with Court Baron of Henry Newarke, gent.,
12 April 11 James 1, 1613.**

Wm. Wright surrendered per John Awsten, Wm. Burdus and Peter Hill 1 r. of arable land in the Henthorne to the use of Thos. Pluman. Fine 2s. 6d.

Thos. Newarke, esq., surrendered per John Awsten and Wm. Burdus 1 r. of land on the Henthorne to the use of Thos. Pluman. Fine 2s. 6d.

Thos. Plewman surrendered per John Awsten and Wm. Burdus 1 r. of land called the *Barkeleydike* to the use of Thos. Newarke, esq. Fine [unspecified].

Thos. Pluman surrendered per John Awsten, Wm. Burdus and Peter Hill 1 r. of arable land in Backbut next to the land of Wm. Wright to the use of Wm. Wright. Fine [unspecified].

Robt. Skadlocke surrendered per John Awsten and Wm. Burdus a cottage and garden in Akam to the use of Thos. Todd and Kath, his wife, and the heirs of their bodies remainder to the heirs of Robt. Skadlocke. Fine [unspecified].

**View of Frankpledge with Court Baron of Henry Newarke, gent.,
26 Oct. 11 James 1 [1613].**

Robt. Bland surrendered per John Awsten and Thos. Vessey a cottage next the Gaile Well and a garth in Akam and 1 a. of arable land in the Farfeilde being two halves of an acre lying on the Apletrestubbes to the use of John Doughtie. Fine [unspecified].

Robt. Hill surrendered per Thos. Hill, Wm. Burdus and Thos. Pluman a cottage, a barn and 2 curtilages called a garth, 2 a. of arable land and common of pasture in Holgate, viz. $\frac{1}{2}$ a. between the lands of Wm. Prynce, $\frac{1}{2}$ a. in the great meadow of Holgate next the hedge, $\frac{1}{2}$ a. between the lands of Thos. Moysley of York, ald., in the Folly Milne Field and another $\frac{1}{2}$ a. between the lands of Thos. Moseley adjoining the garth end of Folly Milne Feilde to the use of Guy Thompson. Fine [unspecified].

Alice Flavell of York, widow, surrendered per Jas. Metcalfe and Thos. Scott all her lands in Akam, viz. $\frac{1}{2}$ a. called *Husbandhow* adjoining lands of Fran. Spacye on W. and the king's balk on E., and $\frac{1}{2}$ a. adjoining Fran. Spacy's land on W. and the king's lands on E. to the use of Wm. Wright of York, baker. Fine [unspecified].

John Inglebie surrendered per Robt. Hill and Thos. Hill a cottage, garth and an oxgang of land called the *Narrow Oxgang* and 1 a. of land in Akam to the use of Chris. Wright for 21 yrs. from Michaelmas next [Sept. 29] paying to John Ingleby 18s. 8d. p.a. viz. 6s. 8d. for the cottage and 12s. for the oxgang of land, at the feasts of St. Michael the Archangel and St. John the Baptist [June 24]. Fine [unspecified].

Robt. Weddell of Clifton had died seised of a messuage, cottage or tenement in Clifton lately in the tenure of [blank] and all adjoining closes or crofts and a garden (*hortum*) a garden (*gardinum*) and $2\frac{1}{2}$ a. and $\frac{1}{2}$ r. of arable land in Clifton. Wm. Weddell of Clifton was his brother and nearest heir. Fine [unspecified].

Robt. Weddell had died seised also of the reversion of 1 a. of arable land in Akam Ings now in the tenure of [blank] of which Margery Weddell, widow, his mother, was tenant for life. Wm. Weddell was his brother and nearest heir and was of age. Fine [unspecified].

Thos. Swaile of [blank] died seised of an oxgang of arable land in . . . [blank] in the tenure of Wm. Maskew, gent. Joan Johnson, wife of Thos. Johnson, and Matilda Runton, wife of Wm. Runton, snr., were his sisters and nearest heirs. Fine [unspecified].

View of Frankpledge with Court Baron of Henry Newarke, gent., 5 May 12 James 1, 1614, by Ralph Headlam, steward.

Wm. Runton and Matilda, his wife, surrendered per Robt. Bland and Thos. Vessey a Pine Halfe Acre, $\frac{1}{2}$ a.; a Melgate, 1 r.; a Medforthe, $\frac{1}{2}$ a.; a Milnestye, $\frac{1}{2}$ a.; a Longland, $\frac{1}{2}$ a.; a Houlgate Roode, 1 r.; an Overryce, 1 r.; a Louskarr, $\frac{1}{2}$ a.; a Beckbitt, 1 r.; a Longland, 1 r.; a Wetland, 1 r.; with a dale of medowe at the end of the Hinging-close or at the end of the Owseakre, a dale in the Fleete and a piece of land in the Cutbart Hill, a Feildgate and a Cargate to the use of Joan Johnson, wife of Thos. Johnson. Fine [unspecified].

Thos. Johnson and Joan, his wife, surrendered per Robt. Bland and Thos. Vessey a Long Halfe Acre, $\frac{1}{2}$ a.; a Little Halfe Acre, $\frac{1}{2}$ a.; a Stonebridge, 1 r.; an Owseakre, 1 a.; a Kirkerroode, 1 r.; 1 r. in the Hobmoore abutting on York Moore; a Wronland, 1 r.; a Middelebarrell, $\frac{1}{2}$ r.; a Barrell Dyke, $\frac{1}{2}$ r.; a Scoulebreade, 1 r.; a Lamecroft, 1 r.; a Wha, $\frac{1}{2}$ r., with meadow at the end; a dale at the end of the Overryce; $\frac{1}{2}$ dale in the West Inges; 1 Cargate and 1 Feildgate, to the use of Matilda Runton, wife of Wm. Runton. Fine [unspecified].

Geo. Gill surrendered per John Awsten and Peter Hill on Owseakre, 1 a.; Eastlands Westlands in Hobmoore, 2 r.; a Broade Loskarr in the Chappell Feild, $\frac{1}{2}$ a.; a Knapton Gate Bitt, $\frac{1}{2}$ r.; a Scoulebreade, $\frac{1}{2}$ r.; $\frac{1}{2}$ r. in the Greatelandnouke; a Longhalfe Akre in the Farfeilde, $\frac{1}{2}$ a.; a Mildure, $\frac{1}{2}$ a.; a Scorbitt, 1 r.; a dale of meadow at the Overryce Ends; a dale in the West Ings; 1 Cargate and 1 Feildgate to the use of Mary Gill, her heirs and assigns, after the death of Eliz. Gill, her mother, and the longer liver of Mary Gill, spinster, and of Eliz. Wright, if she should die without issue. Fine [unspecified].

[Footnote in English]. And there are other surrenders of this same court as appeareth by the next roll . . . Ra: Headlam.

View of Frankpledge with Court Baron of Henry Newarke, gent., 5 May 12 James 1, 1614 by Ralph Headlam, gent., steward.

Thos. Newarke of Akamb surrendered per Wm. Burdus, Thos. Plewman, Thos. Hill and John Wilkinson a capital messuage and tenement in Akamb and 13 oxgangs of land and all other lands, tenements and hereditaments in Akemb held by him by copy of court roll, and the reversions and rents thereof, to the use of the said Thos. Newarke for life, remainder to Barnard Ellis of York, esq., for 3 yrs. and from 3 yrs. to 3 yrs. for the next 12 yrs., paying a sum of money [unspecified], and for other purposes specified in an indenture between the parties dated 5 May 1614. After the said 12 yrs. the

premises to remain to the use of Thos. Newarke, son of Hy. Newarke Of Askham Bryan and cousin of Thos. Newarke of Akamb, and the heirs male of Thos. son of Hy., remainder to Robt. Newarke, son of Hy., and his heirs male, remainder to Wm. Newarke, son of Hy. and his heirs male, remainder to Hy. Newarke, son of Hy. and his heirs male, remainder to Hy. Newarke, the father, and his heirs male, remainder to the right heirs of Thos. Newarke of Akamb. Proviso that if Thos. Newarke of Akamb paid Barnard Ellis 12d. the surrender to be void. Fine [unspecified].

[Subscribed:] Examined and checked with the roll by me Ralph Headlam, steward.

PRESENTMENTS & PAINS LAID AT A COURT HELD AT EASTER 1614, 12 JAC. 1.

Wm. Robinson (4d.) of York, ald., Ursula Ealam (4d.) widow, Hy. Hakin (4d.), Jas. Hutchinson (4d.), Robt. Metham (4d.) and John Wells (4d.) did not appear in this court and were fined as stated. John Doughty (12d.) did not repair and scour his lands ends. Hy. Robinson (12d.), John Lambe (12d.), Wm. Mealby (12d.) Jas. Metcalfe (12d.), John Awsten (12d.), Fran. Spacie (12d.) and Wm. Gawby (12d.) did not repair and scour their land ends. Wm. Mealby (2s. 6d.) did not ring his pigs. Peter Hill (2s. 6d.), John Awsten (2s. 6d.), Thos. Plenman (2s. 6d.), Robt. Skadlocke (2s. 6d.), John Lambe (2s. 6d.), Guy Thompson (2s. 6d.), Hy. Robinson (12d.) and Robt. Browne (12d.) did not ring their pigs. Hy. Toane (20d.) his wife made rescue from the common serjeant (*uxoreius rescussum fee' super servum communem*). Jas. Allan (3s. 4d.) broke the common fold. John Acars (4d.) took and removed *whinnes* growing on Houlgate Little Moore. Hy. Wharton (2s. 0d.) harboured vagrants and suspect persons. John Lambe (2s. 0d.) and John Awsten did not summon to the service of taster in accord with their office. Robt. Gray (12d.) took and removed *whinnes* against the pain. Thos. Harbart of York, ald., died before this court seised of 3 r. of arable land and Chris. Harbart is his son and nearest heir. John Sleightholme died before this court seised of . . . [breaks off].

Affeerers of this verdict, Wm. Burdus, Thos. Plowman, Thos. Vessey.

Fran. Spacie, Peter Hill, John Lambe, Thos. Harnes and all others that have any right to make the gate called *Oxcroft Gate* going to the well *balkes* do so before 10 May next every default

3s. 4d.

Robt. Skadlocke and John Burdus made their back-fronts sufficiently before 10 May next

4s. 0d.

Hy. Newarke, Thos. Mealby and all others that ought to make a gate into Houlgate lowfielde make it before Ascension day

6s. 8d.

Guy Thompson make his fence from the hall garth side to the *inge* gates with . . . es and *railes* where quickwood is not sufficient before Ascension day next and so keep it

3s. 4d.

. 11 other inhabitants in Houlgate that none of
 them keepe . . . oulgate after Ascension day next . . . 10s. 0d.
 any of the cornfieldes the same field
 during the time of harvest 3s. 4d.
 . . . shall get any *whinnes* betwixt *gravell* hill and . . .
 gate upon pain of every load 10s. and every burden 12d.
 None of the inhabitants of Houlgate shall *gett any*
whinnes upon Houlgate little *moore* upon paine of every
 load 10s. and every burden 12d.
 John Marston doe not put any of his goods into any of
 the *fieldes or medoes* every default 10s. 0d.
 [Partly in Latin. Torn, part missing].

PAINES LAID AT THE COURT HELD 26 OCTOBER 1614.

Thos. Manners to avoid one vagrant woman within
 10 days after Martinmas next [Nov. 11] and harbour no
 other vagrant person 10s. 0d.
 Henry Newarke and all other occupants of Houlgate
 great Ings to *gripe their daile heads from the Stepinstones*
to the Comon peese before St. Andrew Day next [Nov. 30] 12d.
 No inhabitant of Houlgate shall get any *whinnes* upon
 Houlgate moor for every burden 12d. and every load 10s. 0d.
 No inhabitant of Acome shall get any *whinnes* betwixt
garide [?] hill and Skewyate,
 for every burden 12d. and every load 10s. 0d.
 Wm. Burdux and all the inhabitants of Akamb and
 occupiers of Hobmore keep up their fences after St.
 Andrew Day for one whole year having sufficient warning
 given them by the pinder every offence 12d.
 Peter Hill and all inhabitants of Akamb make up
 their fences sufficient at the Appletree stubbes, Marr ends
 and Loskar ends before St. Andrew Day every offence 12d.
 Fran. Spacy and all inhabitants of Acomb make
 sufficient their fences on the Hanging cliff ends, Verryce
 ends and Owseakers ends before *Ashe wednesday* . . .
 every default 12d.
 If Fran. Atkinson take any goods into his close he
 shall not drive them to any *pinfoulde* forth of the lordship
 of Akamb 10s. 0d.
 John Cowper and all other inhabitants of Akamb
 make their fences betwixt them and their neighbours
 before Candlemas [Feb. 2] 12d.
 Wm. Maskeme, gent., and all inhabitants of Houlgate
 and occupiers there keep up their fences about the Ings
 and Intacks 12d.
 Robt. Scadlocke and all the inhabitants of Akamb
 do not make their headlands above 5 poles *broder* than
 the land next unto it 12d.

All inhabitants of Akamb and Houlgate ring their swine before St. Andrew Day next and so keep them ringed . . . every swine 4d.

Wm. Burdus and Peter Hill overseers for Akamb and Geo. Beane for Houlgate.

John Marston to avoid out of the lordship a gray horse and a gray mare before St. Andrew Day . . . 10s. 0d.

The inhabitants of Akamb not to make a way up the *barne* garth . . . 12d.

Mr. Ald. Mosley to make a *steile* and a bridge at his Moore land ends before St. Andrew Day next . . . 5s. 0d.

[Membrane endorsed 13, 14, 15 James [1615-16-17]. There is no heading and it appears to be the continuation of an earlier membrane.]

Robt. Metham of Clifton surrendered per Chris. Waggett and John Wells, to the use of Wm. Goodricke, son of Thos. Goodricke of Clifton, 4 a. of arable land, meadow and pasture in Clifton with appurtenances, viz. $\frac{1}{2}$ a. in the Milnfeilde between lands of Wm. Goodricke on S. and John Penrose on N.; $\frac{1}{2}$ a. in the Hunger Hills between lands of John Penrose on W. and Janet Calverley on E.; $\frac{1}{2}$ a. on Lady Milnflat between lands of John Penrose on W. and Milnlandes on E.; $\frac{1}{2}$ a. in the Sockers between lands of Janet Claverley on S. and Chris. Goodrick on N.; $\frac{1}{2}$ a. in the Dormyers between land of John Penrose on N. and Janet Calverley on S.; $\frac{1}{2}$ a. in the Pittlandes between land of John Penrose on N. and S.; $\frac{1}{2}$ a. in the Upper Bothomes between lands of John Penrose on N. and Thos. Wells on S.; $\frac{1}{2}$ a. in Street Furlongs between lands of Chris. Goodrick on N. and Janet Calverley on S. Fine [unspecified].

Robt. Metham also surrendered per Chris. Waggett and John Wells, to the use of John Olyver of Clifton, 1 a. of land in Clifton called *Ing Ends and Nether Bothames* between lands of Chris. Goodricke on N. and Wm. Goodricke on S.; $\frac{1}{2}$ a. in the Redlandes between landes of John Wharton on N. and Thos. Olyver on S.; $\frac{1}{2}$ a. on the Crofts between lands of Chris. Goodricke on E. and Janet Calverley, widow, on W.; 1 r. in the Shorte Wandles between lands of Thos. Wells on W. and Chris. Goodricke on E.; 1 r. in the Longe Wandells between lands of John Penrose on N. and Janet Calverley on S.; with appurtenances in Clifton. Fine [unspecified].

Court Baron of Henry Newarke, gent., 14 Dec. 1615 by Ralph Headlam, gent., steward.

Wm. Maskue of the city of York died since the last court seised a messuage, barn, toft and croft, $1\frac{1}{2}$ oxgangs of arable land, meadow and pasture in Acome, 3 a. of land called *Odlande* in Acome and also a messuage, barn and garden called a *grass garth*, 3 a. , 3 r. of arable land and 4 dales (*valles*) of meadow in Holgate. John Maskew was his son and nearest heir. Fine [unspecified].

Peter Vessey surrendered per Thos. Walton and John Awsten, 2 a. $\frac{1}{2}$ r. of arable land, 1 Cargate and 1 Feildgate, viz. land called an a. in Hob Moor Field, a long rood called $\frac{1}{2}$ a. in the Carrside, a Pyne called $\frac{1}{2}$ a. in the Farr Feild in Acome, likewise a Goldybodom of $\frac{1}{2}$ r. in the Farrfeilde, to the use of John Marston and Emmotte, his wife. Fine [unspecified].

Robt. Metham of Clifton surrendered per Chris. Waggett and John Olyver 1 a. in the Fettice at the Little Inge in Clifton fields to the use of Seth Reynolds of St. Marygate, near York. Fine [unspecified].

Robt. Metham also surrendered 1 r. of land in Clifton in the Townesend Feild to the use of John Wells. Fine [unspecified].

Robt. Metham also surrendered $\frac{1}{2}$ a. of arable land in the Sandhills, $\frac{1}{2}$ a. in the Milnfeilde and 2 r. of land between the highways to the use of Mary Goodricke of Clifton, widow. Fine [unspecified].

Robt. Metham also surrendered per Chris. Waggett and John Austen 3 a. of land in Clifton fields, 1 a. of which lay in Fawell Nooke in two $\frac{1}{2}$ a., $\frac{1}{2}$ a. in the Shorte Nooke and the other $\frac{1}{2}$ a. in the Longe Nooke, two $\frac{1}{2}$ a. in the Layres, $\frac{1}{2}$ a. at the Chappelane Balke and the other $\frac{1}{2}$ a. in the Sevenacres near the ash tree, to the use of Wm. Goodricke, son of Thos. Goodricke.

View of Frankpledge and Court Baron of Henry Newarke, 29 April 14 James, 1616 by Ralph Headlam, gent., steward.

Wm. Cobstake died since the last court seised of 5 a. of land in the fields of [blank]. Jas. Cobstake was his son and nearest heir.

Wm. Weddell of Clifton, gent., and Margery, his wife, surrendered per John Wells and Guy Thompson 1 a. of meadow in Acomb Ings called a *Clifton Acre* to the use of Guy Thompson, son of the said Guy. Fine [unspecified].

View of Frankpledge with Court Baron of Henry Newarke, gent., 14 Oct. 14 James 1616 by Ralph Headlam, gent., steward.

Robt. French of Holgate surrendered per Thos. Scott and Hy. Toane $3\frac{1}{2}$ a. of arable land, viz. 5 r. called a *Marrland* in the Folly Milnfeild between lands of Jas. Pallister and the lord, 1 r. called a *Kell Land* between lands of ald. Moseley, a Folly Miln Land between lands of Jas. Pallister and a common balk, $\frac{1}{2}$ a., half a broad a. between lands of Jas. Pallister and ald. Moseley, 1 r. called a *Buskell* between lands of ald. Moseley and Jas. Pallister, and 1 other r. between their lands, now in the tenure of John Jackson, to the use of Thos. Peighen and Robt. Peighen. Fine 35s.

Robt. Metham surrendered per John Olyvar and Chris. Wagget a cottage, small garth and 1 a. of arable land in Lady Milnfeild in the place called *Doble Dike*, $\frac{1}{2}$ a. at the Doble Dike on the S. side and $\frac{1}{2}$ a. adjoining land in the tenure of John Burton on N. with appurtenances in Clifton to the use of Thos. Wilson of Clifton for life, remainder to Thos. and John Wilson, his sons.

Thos. Johnson and Joan, his wife, surrendered per Guy Tompson and Wm. Hill $\frac{1}{2}$ a. of land in the Chappell Feild of Acomb called a *Broad Losker* and another $\frac{1}{2}$ a. called a *Midforth land* in the Farrfeild to the use of Wm. Prince.

Thos. Hill died since the last court seised of a messuage, 2 barns, 1 croft and garth, 2 oxgangs and 4 acres of land. Thos. Hill, his son, was his nearest heir.

**View of Frankpledge with Court Baron of Henry Newarke, gent.,
23 April 15 James, 1617 by Leonard Headlam, steward.**

Robt. Scadlocke surrendered per Guy Tompson and Wm. Hill a messuage, barn, toft and croft and 5 r. of land in Acome to the use of Thos. Blithe, snr., for life, remainder to Thos. Blith, jnr. Fine [unspecified].

Geo. Lorimer surrendered per Wm. Prince, Wm. Burdus and Thos. Plewman $\frac{1}{2}$ a. called a *Losker* in the Chappell Feild of Acome between land in the tenure of Thos. Plewman and land of ald. Moseley to the use of Peter Hill.

Thos. Ingleby surrendered per Robt. Hill, John Austen and Thos. Vessey a house and a garth called a cottage, one oxgang of land and 1 a. with 2 Carrgates and Feildgates in Acome, in the tenure of Chris. Wright, to the use of Thos. Blith, snr., for life and after his death to Eliz., wife of Thos. Blith, jnr., remainder to Thos. Blith, jnr.

Hy. Lacon and Mary, his wife, surrendered per Thos. Plewman and Guy Thomson 2 r. of Lang Land Ends, 3 r. between the Smithye Green and the village, and 1 r. called *Oxcroft* in the Lawefeild with appurtenances in Acome to the use of John Holgate.

Leo. Headlam, court steward, gave evidence that Jas. Cobstake of Askam Bryan had surrendered to him in the presence of Peter Hill, Thos. Vessey and Thos. Walton 5 r. of arable land in Acome fields viz. $\frac{1}{2}$ a. of the Colthalf acres on the Carrside, 1 long rood on the Carrside, 1 r. called a *Melgate* between the highways, $\frac{1}{2}$ r. called a *Bittym Sike* and $\frac{1}{2}$ r. called a *Pellytrane*, with appurtenances in Acomb, to the use of Jane Swayle of Askam Bryan.

Robt. Franche of Holgate surrendered per Guy Tompson and Thos. Plewman 1 a. called Crooked Land (*curvam terram*) between lands of Jas. Pallister and ald. Moseley, $\frac{1}{2}$ a. on the Brekon Hills between lands of Jas. Pallister and ald. Moseley and 1 r. on the Buskhills called a *headlande*, with appurtenances in Acome to the use of Robt. Scadlocke, snr., of Acome.

[The whole entry crossed through.]

Leo. Headlam, court steward, gave evidence that Michael Fawkes, gent., and Kath., his wife, had surrendered to him, in the presence of Wm. Burdux and Robt. Hill, the messuage called *Kilnhouse* with a toft and croft, now in the tenure of Thos. Newarke, esq., to the use of the said Thos.

Roger Lishman of York, tanner, surrendered per Jas. Metcalfe and Wm. Wright a cottage, 2 garths and an orchard in Acome to the

use of Mary Barnes, his wife, for life, remainder to Robt. Barnes and his heirs or in default thereof to Clara Barnes and the heirs of her body.

Robt. French surrendered per Guy Tompson and Thos. Plewman 1 a. of land, viz. a Crooked Land, $\frac{1}{2}$ a., between lands of Jas. Pallyser and ald. Moseley; 1 r. on the Brekonhills between lands of ald. Moseley and Jas. Pallyser; and a headland, 1 r., adjoining land of ald. Moseley next the Bushhills with appurtenances in Acome to the use of Robt. Scadlocke, snr.

**View of Frankpledge with Court Baron of Henry Newarke, gent.,
9 Oct. 15 James, 1617, by Leo. Headlam, steward.**

Jane Swayle surrendered per Robt. Hill, Thos. Plewman and Thos. Vessey 5 r. of arable land, meadow and pasture with appurtenances, viz. a Colte, $\frac{1}{2}$ a., adjoining land of Thos. Mealby; a Long Roode adjoining land of Thos. Moseley, ald.; 1 r. on the Melgates with land of Fran. Spacy on E.; a Bittimsike adjoining Fran. Spacy's land on S.; and a Pellitrane, $\frac{1}{2}$ r., adjoining land of Fran. Spacy on W. with appurtenances in Acomb to the use of Thos. Blithe, snr., and Thos. Blithe, jnr. Fine [unspecified].

Robt. Frenche of Houlgate surrendered per Thos. Scott and Wm. Wright 1 a. of arable land in Follymilne Feilde on land called *Longelandes*, adjoining land of Jas. Pallester, with the appurtenances in Houlgate to the use of Thos. Peighen and Robt., his son. Fine [unspecified].

Jas. Hutchinson of York, innholder, died since the last court seised of $\frac{1}{2}$ a. called a *Hingincliffe*. John Hutchinson was his son and nearest heir. Fine [unspecified].

Geo. Feilde and Edw. Feilde of Shipley surrendered per Thos. Peighen and Thos. Scott 3 a. of arable land, meadow and pasture in Houlgate, viz. 1 a. in the Follymilnfeilde called *Longelands*, two $\frac{1}{2}$ a. in the Lowefeilde, $\frac{1}{2}$ a. called *Threape Lee* in the Intacke and $\frac{1}{2}$ a. called the *Peaseland Pitt*, with appurtenances in Houlgate to the use of John Maskew. Fine [unspecified].

John Awsten and Thos. Awsten, his son, surrendered per Thos. Scott and Thos. Plewman 3 a. of arable land with appurtenances, viz. a Gilderskarr, $\frac{1}{2}$ a.; $\frac{1}{2}$ a long acre; a Skarbutt, 1 r.; a Melgate, 1 r.; a Midforth land, $\frac{1}{2}$ a.; an Usburne Howe, $\frac{1}{2}$ a.; and another half a., all adjoining lands of Fran. Spacy, to the use of Wm. Mealby. Fine [unspecified].

Robt. Franche surrendered per Thos. P[l]ewman, Thos. Vessey and Thos. Waltham 1 a. of arable land called a *Longe Lande* with appurtenances in Houlgate in the Intacke, between lands of Thos. Moseley, ald., to the use of Robt. Burdus of Acomb. Fine [unspecified].

Since the last court Magdalene Runton had died seised of $\frac{1}{2}$ oxgang of land with appurtenances in Acomb and Frances and Anna Runton, her daughters, were her nearest heirs. Fine [unspecified].

View of Frankpledge with Court Baron 21 April 16 James, 1618, by Leonard Headlam, steward.

Chris. Hodgeson surrendered per Robt. Franch and Jas. Metcalfe a cottage, barn and garth, 4 a. of arable land and 1 oxgang of meadow in Holgate Ings, in the tenure of Thos. Scott, to the use of the said Thos. Proviso that if Chris. Hodgson paid Thos. Scott on 2 Feb. next he was to have possession of the property notwithstanding his surrender. Fine [unspecified].

Thos. Vessey surrendered per Robt. Scadlocke and Thos. Waltham $\frac{1}{2}$ oxgang of Meadow and Pasture in Acomb Ings with 20 ft. of hedge and ditch alternately on the West Inge, to the use of Peter Hill. Fine [unspecified].

View of Frankpledge with Court Baron of Henry Newarke, gent., before Wm. Holmes, esq., steward, on Thursday 21 Oct. 17 Jas. 1. [1619].

Free Tenants. Thos. Newarke, esq., Wm. Robinson, lord mayor of York, Thos. Mosley, ald., Wm. Mealbye, Peter Hill.

Essoins. Thos. Mosley, ald., John Maskew, Wm. Hill, Thos. Peighen, John Marston, Wm. Wright, Jas. Metcalfe, John Hutchinson, Clare Barnes, Edmund Sandwith, Robt. Metham, Wm. Goodricke, Seth Reynold, Jas. Pallister, Guy Thompson, jnr., Robt. Burdeux, and John Walker.

Defaults. Wm. Robinson, lord mayor of York (4d.), Wm. Meilby (4d.), Thos. Scott (4d.), Robt. Ray (4d.), Ursula Calome (4d.), John Wells (4d.), Thos. Goodricke (4d.), Margery Weddall (4d.), Thos. Johnson (4d.), Thos. Todd (4d.), Hy. Tone (4d.), Thos. Wilson (4d.).

Homage. Fran. Spacye, Robt. Hill, Thos. Shipton, Thos. Blyth, Snr., Thos. Harnis, Geo. Lorymer, Guy Thompson, Thos. Walton, Thos. Vessye, John Awsten, John Wilkinson, John Doughtie, Robt. Scadlocke.

John Doughtie surrendered per John Awsten and Thos. Walton a cottage, a garth and 1 a. of arable land called *Appletree Stubbs* with appurtenances in Acome to the use of Chris. Milner, Eliz. his wife, and Jane Milner, his mother. Fine 15s.

Thos. Scott and Anne, his wife, surrendered per Thos. Plowman and Wm. Wright 1 Cargarth with appurtenances in Acomb Carr, a house and barn in Acomb and a piece of meadow belonging thereto called *Inglebyes*, in the West Feild of Acomb in the Beckepitts, and a Ketland End in the same field, and a Pitt in the Farr Feild to the use of Thos. Meilbie and Thos. and Wm. Meilby, his sons. Fine [unspecified].

Thos. Scott also surrendered per Wm. Wright and Thos. Plowman a house, barn and garden, 4 a. of arable land pertaining to it and 1 oxgang of meadow in Holgate to the use of Thos. Mealby and Wm. and Thos. his sons. Fine [unspecified].

John Marston and Emmotte, his wife, surrendered per Robt. Skadlocke, Thos. Walton and Thos. Vessye 1 a. of land called a *Moreland* in the Hobmore Feild, $\frac{1}{2}$ a. called a *Colthalf Acre*, a Pyne in the Far Field and $\frac{1}{2}$ r. called a *Golda Bothom* in the same field and 1 Feildgate and 1 Cargate with appurtenances in Acome to the use of Peter Hill of Acome. Fine [unspecified].

Presentments.

Jas. Savage of York, miller, and his servants had taken 4 loads of thorns from Holgate Little More contrary to the old penalty	.. .. .	4s. 0d.
Mrs. Bincks of the said city, baker, for 2 loads	..	2s. 0d.
Thos. Saunderson for 1 load	.. .. .	12d.
Edw. Britaine of Holgate for keeping vagrant persons to the annoyance and disturbance of the inhabitants	..	10s. 0d.
Geo. Beane of Holgate, constable, for allowing vagrant persons to reside there contrary to the old penalty		12d.
Robt. Burdeux for ploughing 1 acre of land contrary to the bye-law and the time appointed by the bye-law and assent of the neighbours	.. .. .	12d.
Chris. Richardson, well-scourer for Holgate, for not scouring the well at a convenient time, contrary to the old penalty	.. .. .	6d.
Thos. Plewman for not making a sufficient fence next Mr. French	.. .. .	12d.
The wife of Thos. Laburne for being a common scold		20d.
Thos. Moseley, ald., because his servants ploughed more than they ought near the Bitts against the How	..	12d.
Thos. Scott for the like offence	.. .. .	12d.
Wm. Burdeux for keeping his cattle untethered in the winter-sown field contrary to the ancient penalty	..	12d.
John Lambe for the like offence	.. .. .	12d.
Wm. Burdeux for keeping cattle in another field contrary to the penalty	.. .. .	12d.
John Lambe, Thos. Plewman, Thos. Harnis and Peter Hill for the like	.. .. . each	12d.
Robt. Darrell for not ringing his pigs	.. .. .	4d.
The same Robt. for keeping vagrants	.. .. .	3s. 4d.
Mrs. Wright for not making a hedge next to Fran. Wilson	.. .. .	12d.
John Lambe for obstructing the watercourse in the Gail	.. .. .	12d.
Guy Thompson for not grinding at the lord's mill	..	4d.
Hy. Shipton for the like offence	.. .. .	4d.
Edw. Britaine for not milling well the corn of customary tenants at the lord's mill	.. .. .	3s. 4d.
Thos. Plowman for unlawfully recovering the sheep distrained by Robt. Hill's son	.. .. .	12d.
John Lambe for selling ale contrary to the statute	..	3s. 4d.
Robt. Darrell for the like offence	.. .. .	3s. 4d.

Wm. Wilson and Thos. Annatson for not fulfilling their duties as ale-tasters each 6d.

Pains laid. [in English].

None were to get *whynnes* from Holgate Little More without consent of most of the neighbours every load 10s., every burden 12d.

None to get *whynnes* from Acombe More between Gravill Hills and Skewgate except with the consent of the majority at a bye-law Penalty as above

None to take tenants into their houses unless they could enter a sufficient bond for the discharge of the township 39s. 11d.

No inhabitant or tenant owing suit of court to commence an action of trespass under the value of 39s. 11d. against any of the lord's tenants 39s. 11d.

All common water sewers and gripps to be sufficiently made and maintained before Martinmas day next [Nov. 11] 3s. 4d.

None to plough too low against the Bitts against the How nor any further than they ought 12d.

No inhabitant of Acome or Houlgate to lodge any rogues or vagrants without the constable's consent 3s. 4d.

All tenants in Acomb and Holgate to make up their fences in their garths and forefronts between their neighbours and maintain them from time to time 12d.

All the [blank] Aker Ends, Ovarrys Endes and Hyngincliffe Ends to be adequately made and scoured before Lady Day [Mar. 25] 12d.

Edw. Woodus of Yorke to *gripp over*¹ his close in the Hobmore and fence it and maintain it from time to time 10s. 0d.

All who had purchased acres of land out of oxgangs to pay the king's rent to those who were chargeable by oxgangs, at Martinmas [Nov. 11] and Whitsuntide, if it was demanded 5s. 0d.

Edw. Woodus to scour his common water sewer at the side of his close next to Holgate More before St. Andrew's day next [Nov. 30] 6s. 8d.

Edw. Brittain of Holgate not to lodge any vagrant persons without the constable's consent 3s. 4d.

The overseer of well-scouring in Holgate to see that it was scoured before Lady Day and that the rope and other things necessary were kept in repair 12d.

Everyone to pay his assessment toward it 20d.

Thos. Plewman, or the occupier, to make a sufficient fence next to Robt. Franch's orchard before Candlemas [Feb. 2] 3s. 4d.

Everyone to *gripp*¹ his land in Holgate Low Field as was formerly done and where necessary before Martinmas 3s. 4d.

¹ Cut small drains in.

Wm. Burdus and Mrs. Maskewe to make asufficient gate and hinge it with a pale on the backside at Gilbert Judson's garth end before Martinmas Day	6s. 8d.
All the Appletreestubb Ends, Marr Endes and Foulfar Ends to be sufficiently made before Martinmas day and repaired from time to time	12d.
No one to take whins or <i>casons</i> ¹ from Acomb Carr every burden	12d.
No one to take whins or <i>thornes</i> from fences in Acomb lordship other than his own	12d.
John Lambe to maintain his fence in his garth towards the cornfield	12d.
Total for this court [blank].	

Officers for Acomb. John Awsten, constable. Ric. Hanley and John Walter, fence viewers. Robt. Quarton and Wm. Poulter, ale tasters. Robt. Bane, well scourer for the W. end. Wm. Butland for the E. end.

Officers for Holgate. Thos. Mealbye, constable. John Jackson, well scourer. Geo. Beane, viewer of fences and the ringing of pigs.

This roll examined in the presence of Thos. [?]man and Wm. Wright by me W.H. Examined by me, Wm. Holmes, steward.

Court Leet or View of Frankpledge with Court Baron of Henry Newarke, gent., Sat. 14 Oct. 18 James 1 [1620] before Wm. Holmes, esq., steward.

Free Tenants. Thos. Newarke, esq., Thos. Moseley, ald., Wm. Robinson, ald., Wm. Mealby, Peter Hill, Patrick Weames, clerk, vicar there.

Essoins. Thos. Hill, John Hutchinson, Anthony Runton, Frances Runton, Wm. Goodricke of . . . [?].

Defaults. Thos. Newarke, esq., Thos. Moseley and Wm. Robinson, aldermen, John Mascue, Robt. Gray, [blank] Savile, Edw. Vauser, Thos. Shipton, Robt. Hill, Geo. Lorimer, Jas. Metcalfe, John Marston, Thos. Furth, Edm. Sandwith, Robt. Metham, Thos. Goodricke, Edm. Judson, Ric. Robinson, Tristram Tynseley, Alice Mealby owed suit of court, defaulted, and were fined 4d. each.

Homage. Fran. Spacy, Wm. Burdeux, Thos. Waltham, Thos. Harnish, Thos. Furth, Thos. Blith, John Wilkinson, Wm. Wright, Geo. Lorymer, John Oliver, Chris. Wagget, Robt. Scadlocke, Wm. Prince, Thos. Johnson and Jas. Metcalfe.

Presentments.

Thos. Newarke for not ringing his pigs	12d.
Wm. Burdeux, John Lamb and Robt. Hill for the like offence each	8d.

¹ See note, p. 29.

John Sturrey for the like offence	..	..	16d.
Widow Wright for the like offence	..	..	4d.
Thos. Moseley for the like offence	..	..	12d.
John Austen for the like offence	..	..	8d.
Wm. Beckwith for not making his hedge between Thos. Furth's land and the Burne Garth	..	..	6d.
Wm. Prince for not making his hedge towards the street and behind towards the field	..	..	4d.
Peter Hill for keeping his cattle in the fields sown with seed	..	..	20d.
Wm. Beckwith, Robt. Hill and John Lamb for the like offence	..	..	20d.
Jas. Jackson for fighting with the pinder	..	..	12d.
Ric. Tone for unlawfully recovering his animals from the pinder	..	..	20d.
The wife of John Jackson because she <i>scoulded</i> with the fence viewer	..	..	12d.
The said John and Mabel, his wife, for being common movers of quarrels and scolds	..	..	20d.
Mrs. Bland and Mrs. Tone for the like offence	..	..	20d.
Thos. Vessy for putting more animals in the common pasture than his stint	..	..	3s. 4d.
Peter Hill, Robt. Hill and Robt. Wharton for the like offence	..	..	3s. 4d.
John Austen for selling ale contrary to the assize	..	..	3s. 4d.
John Lamb for the like offence	..	..	3s. 4d.
Robt. Hill [blank].			

Wm. Mealby died since the last court seised of a messuage, 2 cottages and 4 oxgangs of land. Wm. Mealby was his son and nearest heir. For the remainder see the next court.

Officers elected. Assessors of the court, Thos. Furth and Geo. Lorimer. Constables, Edm. Vauser for Acomb, Valer [? Valarie] Ammerson for Holgate. Viewers of fences and the ringing of pigs, Robt. Grey and Wm. Pape for Acomb, Hy. Shipton for Holgate. Well scourers, Edw. Judson for the E. end of Acomb, Thos. Wart for the W. end of Acomb, Wm. Gatefurth for Holgate.

Complaints.

Wm. Deane against Thos. Scot in a plea of debt on demand that he owed him 20s. and submitted to arbitration. The dft. appeared personally and denied the debt. The homage assessed the loss to the plt. at 12d. more than the 20s. and 2d. costs, so tha the should recover 21s. 2d. and 10d. deserved for costs, 23s. [*sic*] in all.

Robt. Scadlocke complained of John Holgate in a plea of trespass to his loss of 5s., concerning digging his land in the fields. The dft. appeared in person and denied the charge. The homage gave a verdict for the plt. and assessed damages at 20d. and the costs at 2d., which were increased by the steward to 12d., in all 2s. 8d.

Thos. Mealby surrendered per Wm. Burdeux and Wm. Wright a cottage, garth, barn and 1 rood of land called a *Kelland*, a piece of meadow in the Golderskar Ingg next to the stream (*torrent*), a piece of meadow in the Farr Field called the *Lady Pitt*, a Cargate and all appurtenances. When Thos. Mealby, son of Wm. Mealby, came of age he was to do suit and service. Fine [unspecified].

View of Frankpledge and Court Baron of Henry Newarke, gent., before William Holmes, esq., steward, on Sat. 23 April 18 James 1 [1620].

Free Tenants. Thos. Newarke, esq., Thos. Moseley, ald., Wm. Robinson, ald., Wm. Mealby, Peter Hill, Patrick Weames, clerk, vicar there.

Essoins. Edm. Sandwith, Wm. Wright, Jas. Metcalfe, John Hutchinson, John Marston, Clare Barnes, Anthony Runton, Fran. Runton, Robt. Mettam [? Metham], Seth. Reynolds, Jas. Palliser, Robt. Burdeux, John Walker.

Defaults. Thos. Moseley and Wm. Robinson, aldermen, Mrs. Bland, John Arther, Ursula Calom, John Wells, Thos. Johnson, Mary Goodricke, Ric. Plaister, Mrs. Cobstacke, Thos. Wilson, Robt. Wharton, Wm. Poulter, Edw. Stringer and John Jackson owed suit of court and defaulted and were each fined 4d.

Homage. Fran. Spacy, Thos. Plewman, John Austen, Wm. Goodricke, Thos. Walton, Thos. Furth, Wm. Hill, Wm. Prince, John Lamb, Robt. Hodgson, Geo. Beane, Thos. Vescy, Robt. Hill, Thos. Wilson, Thos. Blith, jnr.

Martin Batman and Barbara, his wife, surrendered per Thos. Blith, snr., and Guy Tompson, to the use of Thos. Blith, jnr., and Wm., his son, 1 oxgang of meadow in the Inggs and 2 Cargaits, 2 Feildgaits and 1 a. of land in the Farfeild, half being a Long Halfe Acre and the other an Appletre Stubb; in the Beckfeild, $\frac{1}{2}$ a. being a little half acre; a Marr near the lord's balk, $\frac{1}{2}$ a.; In the Chappell Feild, a Beckbit, $\frac{1}{2}$ r.; $\frac{1}{2}$ r. on the side of Bistowhill; $\frac{1}{2}$ r. called Loskar Calves; in the Hobmore, 1 r.; a Holgate Rood near to Bullbalke, 1 r.; with appurtenances in Acomb. Fine [unspecified].

Guy Tompson, jnr., surrendered per Guy Tompson, snr., Geo. Beane and Hy. Tone 1 a. of meadow called a *Clifton Acre* in Acomb Inggs to the use of Guy Tompson, snr., for life, remainder to Wm. Tompson of York. Fine 20s.

Chris. Herbert was the son and heir of Thos. Herbert to 3 r. of land, viz, 1 Appletre Stubb, $\frac{1}{2}$ a. and $\frac{1}{2}$ r. in the corner of Greatland, 1 Baryladike and $\frac{1}{2}$ r. of which Thos. died seised. Fine [unspecified].

Presentments.

John Marston for an assault and affray on Wm.					
Burdeux, jnr.	..	..	..	..	3s. 4d.
Miles Topham for an affray and drawing blood of					
Robt. Burdeux	..	..	..	..	10s. 0d.

The said Miles for the like offence against Wm. Harnis	10s.	0d.
Robt. Burdeux for an assault and affray on Miles Topham	3s.	4d.
Wm. Wilson for impleading Thos. Wilson and his wife, Frances, out of this court when he could have remedy here	3s.	4d.
Wm. Wilson for lodging vagrants	3s.	4d.
Thos. Maners for refusing to pay the fine imposed on him for not repairing the common well in Holgate ..		12d.
Edw. Briton and Isabel Beane for the like offence each		12d.
John Wilson of Copmanthorpe for putting his and his tenants' animals on Acomb More	3s.	4d.
Thos. Scott and [blank] Maskue, widow, for the like offence on Holgate More each	3s.	4d.
Ann Burdeux for causing thorns to be cut from others' hedges		12d.
Eliz. Wright and Wm. Mealby for the like offence each		12d.
Edw. Stubb for not repairing his hedges at the end of his garth against the field sown with seed		12d.
Thos. Manners and Edw. Britane for not ringing their pigs each		4d.
Wm. Burdeux for 3 pigs likewise		12d.
Edw. Judson for an assault and affray on John Holgate	3s.	4d.
Eliz. Gill died since the last court and Thos. Furth had entered into possession of a messuage and garden which she had held for life. Fine [unspecified].		
Mary Burke was seised of $\frac{1}{2}$ oxgang of land with appurtenances as long as Eliz. Gill held them for life. Fine [unspecified].		
Eliz. Wright was seised of $\frac{1}{2}$ oxgang of land of which the said Eliz. Gill died seised for life. Fine [unspecified].		
Percival Hodgson died since the last court and Mary Savile was seised of a cottage, barn, 1 Cargate and 1 Fouldgait which he had held for life. Fine [unspecified].		
Assessors at this court, Fran. Spacy and John Austen.		
(Signed) By me W. Holmes, steward.		

Court Leet or View of Frankpledge with Court Baron of Henry Newarke, gent., before Wm. Holmes, esq., steward, Saturday 3 April [*sic*], 19 James 1 [1621].

Free Tenants. Thos. Newarke, esq., Thos. Moseley, ald., Wm. Robinson, ald., Wm. Beckwith in right of Mary, his wife, Peter Hill, Patrick Weames, clerk.

Essoin. Thos. Peighen.

Defaults. Chris. Milner, Chris. Herbert, Thos. Shipton, Edm. Sandwith, Robt. Metham, Thos. Todd, and Geo. Adamson owed suit of court, defaulted and were fined 4d. each.

Homage. Fran. Spacy, Peter Hill, Thos. Blith, jnr., Thos. Plewman, Chris. Wagget, John Wilkinson, Wm. Harnis, John Lamb, Thos. Furth, Thos. Walton, Geo. Lorimer, Wm. Wright, Jas. Metcalfe, Ric. Hanley and John Oliver.

Wm. Mealby surrendered per Thos. Plewman and John Austen in the Scarfeild of Acomb a Long Halfe Acre, $\frac{1}{2}$ a.; a Scorbitt, 1 r.; a Midford Land, $\frac{1}{2}$ a.; in the Chappellfeild, a Gilderskarr, $\frac{1}{2}$ a.; In the Milnefeild, a Longland, $\frac{1}{2}$ a.; a Husburne How, $\frac{1}{2}$ a.; to the use of Thos. Mealby, son of the said Wm. Mealby. Fine [unspecified].

Jas. Story and Clare, his wife, surrendered per Thos. Plewman and Thos. Vescye 1 a. of arable land in Acomb in the tenure of Thos. Blith to the use of Robt. Gray and Mary Gray. Fine [unspecified].

Wm. Mealby died seised of a messuage, 2 cottages and 4 oxgangs of land, held of the lord in free and common socage. Wm. Mealby was his son and at the time of his father's death was almost of age. The premises were worth 30s. p. a. The lord had relief thereof.

Presentments.

Robt. French for an assault and affray on Hy. Toan and drawing blood	.. .. .	10s.	0d.
Also for the like offence against Chris. Musgrave	.. .. .	6s.	8d.
And for assaulting John Jackson, ale taster	.. .. .		20d.
And for selling ale contrary to the statute	.. .. .		12d.
John Jackson for an assault and affray on Robt. French at Holgate	.. .. .	3s.	4d.
And for the like offence against Guy Tompson	.. .. .		20d.
Anne Newton for assaulting Widow Bland	.. .. .		6d.
Wm. Burdeux for cutting thorns from his neighbours hedges	.. .. .	5s.	0d.
Thos. Blith for the like offence	.. .. .	5s.	0d.
Wm. Burdeux for not cleansing the water sewer from the Morelands	.. .. .		12d.
Also for insulting the old bye-law men when they apportioned the fields and pasture	.. .. .		20d.
And for keeping his animals in the sown fields	.. .. .		20d.
Also for putting his sheep in the fields not sown, in English the Faugh ¹	.. .. .		12d.
And for insulting words about Peter Hill	.. .. .		20d.
And for the like about Thos. Plewman	.. .. .	3s.	4d.
John Austen for selling ale contrary to the statute	.. .. .		20d.
And for refusing ale to his neighbours for money	.. .. .		12d.
John Lamb for selling ale contrary to the statute	.. .. .		20d.
John Barker for leasing horse pasture in the Carr	.. .. .		12d.
Fran. Spacy for pasturing his oxen in the sown field while he loaded his cart	.. .. .		4d.
Robt. Hill for tethering his horse in the Morelands	.. .. .	3s.	4d.

¹ Fallow.

Since the last court John Austen of Acomb had leased to Edw. Robson for 21 yrs, without licence of the lord, a messuage, garth, barn and $10\frac{1}{2}$ a. of arable land in several parcels in Acomb. At the time of the lease the premises were held by the lord by copy of court roll. John Austen forfeited the premises by the said lease. The bailiff announced that by virtue of the steward's warrant he had seised the premises for the lord. It was proclaimed that anyone having a claim to the property should come to the court and be heard. Because no one could show sufficient reason to the contrary it was considered they should remain in the lord's possession.

Assessors at the Court. Wm. Harnis and Thos. Firth.

Court Baron 24 April 19 James 1 [1621]. [The right hand margin of this section is wanting.]

Homage. John Wilkinson, Chris. Wagget, John Oliver, Peter Hill, Thos. Shipton, John Lamb, Robt. H , Lorimer, Thos. Vessy, Guy Tompson, Wm. Hill, Wm. Goodricke, and Thos. Blyth.

John Clarke ought to be admitted as tenant of the manor in right of Clara Barnes, his wife, of all the lands and tenements of the said Clara.

John Topham ought to be admitted as tenant of land bought from John Jackson and his wife.

Proclamation was made concerning the lands of John Austen forfeited at the last court by reason of the demise granted by him. They were to remain forfeited until etc. Since the last court John Jackson and Mabel, his wife, surrendered per Wm. Holmes, esq., steward, 1 a. of land, viz, a Garebredland, $\frac{1}{2}$ a.; a Gravelholeheadland, 1 r.; and a Sandland, 1 r.; with appurtenances in Holgate to the use of Toppam. Fine [unspecified].

Assessors. John Wilkinson and Peter Hill.

John Clarke was admitted as tenant in right of Clara, his wife.

Court Baron 15 May 19 James 1 1621.

Homage. Fran. Spacie, Peter Hill, Guy Tompson, Thos. Mealby, Geo. Lorimer, Thos. Walton, Thos. Furth, Robt. Hill, Edw. Vavasor, Robt. Scadlock, Thos. Blith and Thos. Vescy.

Assessors at this Court. Fran. Spacy and Peter Hill.

John Topham was admitted and sworn as a tenant.

It was proclaimed that John Austen forfeited all his lands and rights in the lease contained in the roll of the penultimate court. If anyone claimed them from the lord they were to be heard. No one did and they remained to be leased by the lord as he wished according to the custom of the manor.

Presentments.

John Wilkinson of Coppynthorpe and his tenant for putting sheep and other animals on Acomb common .. 20d.

John Lamb for taking the goods of others and putting them on the common and pasture of Acomb .. 20d.

Court Baron 5 June in the same year [1621] before Wm. Holmes, steward.

Homage. Fran. Spacy, Peter Hill, Thos. Shipton, Robt. Hill, Guy Tompson, Robt. Scadlocke, Thos. Walton, Wm. Harnes, Thos. Vessy, Ric. Hanley, Geo. Lorimer, Edw. Vauser, Wm. Beckwith, Thos. [blank], and Thos. Plewman.

Presentments.

John Holgate had *diked up* the wain way at the end of the Oxcrofts 20d.

John B [blank] for *revealing the secret council* of his companions after being sworn 3s. 4d.

Ordinances and Pains.

John Holgate to cast down the dike at Oxcroft End before the feast of St. John the Baptist called Midsummer [24 June] 10s. 0d.

John Lamb not to plough his neighbours' land from them but only his own 3s. 4d.

John Austen of Acomb, yeoman, came to the court and received from the lord a messuage, garth and barn and 10½ a. in Acomb fields, viz. 2 Lammy Crofts, 2 Beckbits, 1 Kelland, 1 Whaw, 1 Biskyhill, 1 Wrangland, 1 Middlebarrell, 1 Barrelladike, 1 in the Greatland Nooke, 1 Loskar Calfe, 1 Weetland in the Chapelfield of Acomb; 1 Scolbred, 1 Knapton Gate Bit, 1 Henthorne, 1 Foulfur, and 1 Longrood in the Beckfeild and 1 Longhalfacre, 1 Appletreestubb, 1 Gouldybotham, 1 Pyne being a headland, 1 Little Halfe Acre, 1 Milnodore, 1 Overrice in the meadow and 1 Stonbrifbitt in the Farfeild; 1 Milnestye, 1 Bitt against the How, 1 Bitt between the Sikes, 1 Bitt over the way, 1 Longlandend, 1 Pillet Rain and 2 Kirkeroods in the Molnefeild; 1 Oxcroft, 1 Dowdillbitt, 1 Moreland, 1 Holgate Roode in the Lowfeild; and 4 Cargats or Beastgats in the Car; 4 Feildgates or *gates in le feild* of Acomb for 4 animals with meadow and pasture and other appurtenances belonging to 2 oxgangs in Acomb. Fine £5.

John Austen of Acomb, yeoman, Wm. and John, his sons, and John Tomlinson and Anne, his wife, daughter of the said John, snr., surrendered a messuage, garth and barn and 10½ a. of land [as above] to the use of John Austen, snr., and Eliz., his wife, during their lives, they paying 14s. p.a. to Thos. and Wm. Blith, and after their deaths to the use of Thos. Blith and Wm., his son. Fine £9. 10s.

Court Leet or View of Frankpledge and Great Court Baron of Henry Neworke, gent., before William Holmes, esq., steward, 22 April 20 Jas. 1 [1622].

Free Tenants. Thos. Newarke, esq., Thos. Mosley, ald., Wm. Robinson, ald., Wm. Beckwith in right of his wife, Peter Hill, Patrick Weames.

Essoins. Thos. Peighen, Edw. Vaveser, Wm. Wright, John Clarke in right of his wife, Chris. Milner, Edw. Sandwith, Margery Weddell, Hy. Towne.

Defaults. Thos. Neworke, esq., Thos. Mosley, ald., John Maskew, Wm. Robinson, Wm. Hill, Thos. Walker, Jas. Storye, Mary Savill, Robt. Darrell, Ann Runton, Fran. Runton, Ursula Calam, Robt. Metham, Seth Regnald, Thos. Scott and Alice Mealby owed suit of court, defaulted, and were fined 4d. each.

Homage. Robt. French, Fran. Spacie, Wm. Fairwether, Peter Hill, Thos. Blyth, jnr., Wm. Burdeux, Thos. Plueman, Wm. Goodrick, Wm. Wright, Thos. Mealbye, Thos. Harnes, John Wilkinson, Wm. Hill, Thos. Furth, Thos. Johnson.

Assessors. Fran. Spacie and Thos. Pluman.

Presentments.

Robt. French for letting his pigs into Follimell Field	4d.
Wm. Fairwether, Guy Thompson, Geo. Beane, Chris. Richinson, Hy. Shipton and Thos. Scott for the like offence	each 4d.
Vallerie Amersen of Houlgaite for not causing the well to be cleansed within the time limited	4d.
John Awsten for lodging a vagabond without the constable's licence	3s. 4d.
Robt. Darrell and John Barker for the like offence	each 3s. 4d.
Guy Thompson for not repairing the hedges between his land and Mr. Neworke's	12d.
Tristram Tilsley for cutting thorns from Fran. Spacie's hedges	12d.
Robt. Shadlock for abusing Guy Thompson, saying he injured him at the last court when the said Guy was a juror	12d.
Wm. Burdis for threatening Robt. French and saying that he and the other jurors did him an injury because he showed himself in the office of constable	12d.
John Lam for selling ale contrary to the assize	12d.
John Austin for the like offence	12d.
Robt. Shadlock for ploughing his strip of the headland in Follimell Feild too wide	6d.
Thos. Blith for lodging <i>inmates</i> in his house in Acham	3s. 4d.
Robt. Darrell for not lodging aliens at the constable's command	12d.
Edw. Judson and John Lam for the like offence	each 12d.

Thos. Mealby for not repairing his hedges in the Burne Garth between his land and Thos. Fisher's 12d.

Hy. Tone for selling thorns taken from Hobmore outside the township 6d.

Robt. Gray and Mary, his wife, Lawrence Bery and Eliz., his wife, and Mary Bland surrendered 1 a. of arable land in Acomb fields then in the tenure of Thos. Blyth, which Jas. Story and Clara his wife, had formerly surrendered to the use of Robt. Gray and Mary, his wife, to the use of Thos. Blyth, jnr., and Wm., his son. Fine 5s.

Court Baron of Henry Neworke, gent., before William Holmes, esq., steward, 6 July 20 James 1 [1622].

Free Tenants. Thos. Neworke, esq., Thos. Mosley, ald., Wm. Robinson, ald., Wm. Beckwith in right of his wife, Peter Hill and Patrick Weames.

Essoins. Chris. Tomson, Margery Weddell, Thos. Todd, Seth Regnald, Thos. Forth, Alice Mealby, Robt. Ray, Mary Savill, John Topham.

Defaults. Thos. Neworke, esq., Thos. Mosley, ald., Wm. Robinson, ald., Mrs. Wright, John Hutchinson, Thos. Darrell, Ann Runton, Eliz. Millner, Fran. Runton, Jane Millner, Ursula Calam, John Wells, Thos. Scott, Jas. Palessor and Thos. Smith owed suit of court, defaulted and were fined. [Fines not stated].

Homage. Fran. Spacie, Peter Hill, Thos. Blith, jnr., Robt. Scadlock, Thos. Plewman, Chris. Wagget, Wm. Burdex, John Oliver, Thos. Shippton, Wm. Beckwith, Ric. Handley and Thos. Johnson.

Assessors of this Court. [No entries].

Presentments.

Master Thos. Savill for allowing his hedges between his property and that of Geo. Newton, his neighbour, to fall into decay 12d.

That there was a certain land in Holgate Feild which was called common at the wish of the neighbours or occupants.

Wm. Hill and John Thompson for not removing their *fiery thatch* to the great terror of their neighbours each 10s. 0d.

John Lam for not putting his pigs in a *stye* at night .. 12d.

Robt. Wrangham for allowing his horses to go untethered in the sown fields 12d.

Robt. Wrangham for breaking the pinfold 3 several times and taking away his animals 10s. 0d.

John Lam for unlawfully recovering goods from the pinder 20d.

Robt. Darrell and Robt. Walker for the like offence each 20d.

Robt. Hill for taking 2 burdens of thorns from the Car 2s. 0d.

Robt. Hill [*sic* ?] for the like offence 2s. 0d.

Robt. Hill and all other inhabitants were not to plough beyond the boundary in the Pelletraness .. Penalty 4d.

Guy Thompson of Holgate surrendered per Thos. Shipton and Thos. Plewman a cottage, barn and garden with a small grassy garth in Holgate and 2 acres of land or meadow to the use of Janet his wife, during her widowhood and afterwards to the use of Matt. Thompson, his son. Fine [unspecified].

Robt. Hill of Acomb surrendered per Thos. Shippton, Guy Thompson and Thos. Plewman a messuage, barn, garth, croft and 3 oxgangs of land in Acombe after his death to the use of Wm. Hill, his son, excepting a parlour on the S. side of the house which was to be kept for the use of Eliz., his wife, during her widowhood. Fine [unspecified].

Court Leet or View of Frankpledge with Great Court Baron of Henry Neworke, gent., before William Holmes, esq., steward, 5 October 20 James 1 [1622].

Free Tenants. Thos. Neworke, esq., Thos. Mosley, ald., Wm. Robinson, ald., Wm. Beckwith in right of his wife, Peter Hill, Patrick Weames, clerk.

Essoins. Mary Barke, Jas. Metcalfe, Mr. Peighen and others.

Defaults. Thos. Neworke, esq., Thos. Mosley, ald., Wm. Robinson, ald., Wm. Hill, Mary Savill, Robt. Darrell, Eliz. Mylner, Edw. Sandwith, Jane Milner, Ursula Calam, Mrs. Weddell, widow, John Wells, Margery Weddell, Robt. Hodgson, John Oliver, Mary Goodricke, Thos. Topham, John Wilkinson, Robt. French, Jas. Pallessor, Thos. Mealby, Guy Thomson, Alice Mealby and Thos. Marshall owed suit of court, defaulted and were each fined 4d.

Homage. Fran. Spacie, Peter Hill, Thos. Blyth, snr., Wm. Burdus, Geo. Beane, Thos. Plewman, Thos. Shipton, Wm. Harnis, Robt. Shadlocke, Ric. Handley, Wm. Beckwith, Wm. Fairwether.

Assessors. Thos. Blyth, snr., and Thos. Shipton.

Chris. Milner and Eliz., his wife, and Jane Milner, widow, surrendered per Robt. Hill and Thos. Vescye a cottage with a little garth and 1 a. of land called *Appletreestubbs* in Achombe with the common belonging to the use of John Marstone provided he pay to the said Chris., Eliz. and Jane Milner £14 of the next feast of St. Martin in Winter [Nov. 11]. Otherwise the property to be to the use of Robt. Hill of Acome, he being discharged of the said £14. Fine 20s.

Fran. Hobson died seised of $\frac{1}{4}$ oxgang of land with appurtenances in Acomb. Agnes Runton was his sister and nearest heir. Fine [unspecified].

Joan Johnson, wife of Thos. Johnson, died since the last court seised of 2 a. $\frac{1}{2}$ r. of land and $\frac{1}{2}$ oxgang of meadow in Acomb. Geo. Johnson was her son and nearest heir and was 12 yrs. of age. Fine [unspecified].

Presentments.

Mr. Savill for not repairing the hedges between his land and Geo. Newton's	12d.
Edw. Judson for the like offence	12d.
John Lam for selling ale contrary to the assize and not putting it before the ale tasters	3s. 4d.
Robt. Darrell and John Austane for the like offence each	3s. 4d.
John Houlgaite for seizing pigs from Wm. Beckwith as he led them to the pinfold	20d.
Kath. Wilson because she <i>soulded and cursed</i> the pinder	12d.
Anne Newton, Mrs. Trayne, Mrs. Bland, Dorothy Bane and Mrs. Plaster for the like offence each	12d.
Robt. Darrell for breaking the pinfold	3s. 4d.
Robt. Hill for not putting his pigs in a <i>stye</i> at night ..	4d.
Hy. Tone for not repairing the hedges between his property and Edw. Stubbs	12d.
Geo. Newton for not removing dung from his doorway	12d.
Thos. Blyth, snr., for not excluding Mother Barker ..	39s. 11d.
John Lamm for not allowing his neighbours to have drink for their money	3s. 4d.
John Austin and Robt. Darrell for the like offence each	3s. 4d.
Thos. Tod for allowing his <i>fruntstead</i> to fall into decay	12d.
John Skyrrrey for ploughing the lord's balkes ..	3s. 4d.
Mrs. Trayne for taking thorns from Skew Whines ..	3s. 4d.
Mrs. Plaster for the like offence	3s. 4d.

Officers for Achombe. Constable, Robt. Ray. *Alefyners*, Robt. Wharton and John Barker. Fence viewers, Fran. Wilson and Thos. Almatson. *Wel Scowers*, Wm. Pape and Ric. Robinson.

Officers for Holgate. Constable, Edw. Stubbs. '*Alefyners*', Guy Thompson. '*Wel Scowers*', Wm. Gayfurth. Fence viewer and swine ringer, Thos. Manners.

Court Baron of Henry Newarke, gent., before Wm. Holmes, esq., 19 March 21 James 1, 1623-4.

Free Tenants. Thos. Newarke, esq., Thos. Mosley, ald., Wm. Robinson, ald., Wm. Beckwith in right of his wife, Peter Hill, Patrick Weames, clerk.

Essoins. John Mascew of the city of York, Thos. Peighen of the same.

Defaults. Thos. Newarke, esq., Thos. Mosley, ald., Wm. Robinson, ald., Mrs. Wright, Mrs. Bland, Jas. Storye, Mary Savill, Edw. Bawser, Robt. Hill, Jas. Metcalfe, Wm. Fairwether, Wm. Poulter, John Walker, Chris. Thompson, Robt. Darrell, John Clarke, Ric.

Hanley, Chris. Milner, Geo. Fairburne, Jane Milner, Ursula Calam, Edw. Sandwith, Mrs. Weddell, widow, John Wells, Robt. Hodgson, John Oliver, Thos. Johnson, Thos. Todd, Thos. Willson, Mary Goodricke, Seth. Reynolde, Wm. Goodricke, jnr., Robt. French, Thos. Manners, Geo. Beane, Hy. Tone, Edw. Judson, Geo. Elmer and Tristram Tinsley owed suit of court, defaulted and were fined. [Fines unspecified].

Homage. Fran. Spacye, John Hutchinson, Wm. Priance, Wm. Hill, Peter Hill, Wm. Thompson, Guy Thompson, Thos. Plewman, Geo. Lorimer, Wm. Wright, Chris. Wagget, Thos. Blyth, snr., Wm. Goodrick, Wm. Beckwith and Robt. Skadlocke.

Assessors at this Court. Fran. Spacye and Guy Thompson.

Chris. Milner and Eliz. his wife, and Jane Milner surrendered per John Austen and Thos. Vescye a cottage at the W. end of Acomb called the *Gaile* with a little garth on the backside thereof and 1 a. of land called *Appletreestubs* to the use of John Marstone. Fine [unspecified].

Thos. Shipton of Knapton and Cecily, his wife, had leased by indenture contrary to manorial custom a house, garth, barn and croft, 1 oxgang of land, 2 Cargates, and 2 Feildgates, meadow and pasture to Thos. Hillam for 21 yrs. They therefore forfeited the premises. Geo. Newton, bailiff, seized them as ordered by the steward, in the presence of Wm. Thompson and Wm. Blyth. Proclamation was made of the seizure and it was ordered that anyone having a claim should come and be heard. No one came.

John Austen of Acomb and Thos. Mealby of Ascambrian, yeoman, had leased by indenture, contrary to the custom of the manor, 1 a. of land called an *Ouge Acre*, alias Ouz Acre, a Hinging-clife containing $\frac{1}{2}$ a.; a Midfordland, 1 a. called a *Coultehalfe Acre* and a strip called *Marrland* to John Robinson for the term of his life. They therefore forfeited the premises which were seized by Geo. Newton, bailiff, on the steward's orders, in the presence of Wm. Thompson and Wm. Blyth. Proclamation of the seizure was made at the court and anyone claiming the premises was to come and be heard. No one did so.

Court Leet or View of Frankpledge with Court Baron before the steward 19 April of the same year [1624].

Free Tenants. Thos. Newarke, esq., Thos. Mosley, ald., Wm. Robinson, ald., Wm. Beckwith in right of his wife, Peter Hill, Patrick Weames, clerk.

Essoins. John Maskew, Wm. Hill, John Hutchinson, Robt. Beane, Mrs. Weddell, widow, Thos. Blyth, jnr., Geo. Fairburne, Thos. Wilson, Mary Barugh, Seth Reynolds, Jas. Pallessers.

Defaults. Thos. Newarke, esq., Thos. Mosley, ald., Mrs. Bland, Thos. Savill, Robt. Beane, Robt. Darrell, Thos. Blyth, jnr., Agnes Runton, Mary Barke, Ursula Calam, Edw. Sandwith, Hy. Wilkinson,

John Wells, Thos. Mealby, Robt. Ray and Thos. Marshall owed suit of court, defaulted and were each fined 4d.

Homage. Fran. Spacie, Wm. Fairwether, Peter Hill, Guy Thompson, Thos. Plewman, Wm. Harnis, Wm. Wright, Ric. Hanley, Thos. Vescye, Robt. Wharton, Wm. Beckwith, Geo. Lorimer, Thos. Johnson and Wm. Goodricke, jnr.

Assessors of the Court. Fran. Spacye and Wm. Wright.

Jas. Metcalfe of York, butcher, surrendered on 23 Feb. 1622-3 per Wm. Wright and Wm. Thompson $3\frac{1}{2}$ a. $\frac{1}{2}$ r. of land in Acomb with a Cargate and a Fosgate to the use of Magdalene, his wife, for life, and Fran. Metcalfe, his son and heir. Proviso, that Magdalene and Fran. should pay Thos. Metcalfe, son of Jas., £5 when he reached the age of 21 yrs, and that Jas. might revoke the surrender to his own use before the court held at Michaelmas next [Sept. 29] if he lived so long.

Proclamation was made that if anyone claimed the premises forfeited to the lord at the last court by Thos. Shipton and Cecily, his wife, he should come to the court and be heard. No one came.

Proclamation was made that if anyone claimed the premises forfeited at the last court by John Austen and Thos. Mealbye he should be heard. Peter Hill claimed the land called *Midfordland* because John Austen had no right to it except for life in exchange for another piece of land which he had by surrender of him the said Peter Hill.

Presentments.

Chris. Milner for cutting 3 burdens of whins in the Skew	3s.	0d.
Ric. Plaster for the like offence for 5 burdens	5s.	0d.
Chris. Milner for taking the said whins knowing he had no right to sell them	..	12d.
Thos. Smith for the like offence	2s.	0d.
Wm. Pape for taking whins from the Skew	2s.	0d.
Robt. Gray for the like offence for 2 burdens	2s.	0d.
Jas. Story, Chris. Thompson and Walter Trewit for the like offence	2s.	0d.
Hy. Robinson for buying the Skew whins from Mrs. Plaister	..	12d.
Thos. Waite for taking 1 burden of whins from the Skew	..	12d.
Fran. Wilson and Geo. Elmer for the like offence for 1 burden each	..	12d.
Thos. Plewman for putting 2 animals to graze, in English 2 <i>beastgates</i> more than he ought in the Ings	3s.	4d.
Edw. Stubbs for not repairing adequately the <i>common steele</i> ¹ and bridge at Follymill	..	12d.
Also for not repairing the hedge at the end of his garth	..	12d.
Isabel Beane for not repairing her hedge at the Brakenhillends and the Kellandends towards the great <i>mor</i>	..	12d.

¹ Stile.

Thos. Mealby because he plowed land called <i>Faugh</i> ¹ after Lady Day [Mar. 25]	6d.
John Lam for allowing his hedges against the Hobmoore to fall into decay and for not cleansing his water-course	3s. 4d.
Also for not repairing his hedge at the end of his strip in the Hobmoorefeild of Acombe adjoining Hobmoore	4d.
Also for not ringing his pigs	12d.
And for not repairing the hedge on his holding in the Gaile	12d.
Geo. Beane for not adequately repairing his hedge after the field was sown with seed	12d.
The said Geo. Beane for allowing his pigs to go in the field after it was sown	6d.
Wm. Harnis for putting one beast to graze, in English <i>a beastgate and a half</i> more than he ought in the Ings	2s. 6d.
Anne Akers for scolding with her neighbours in the town street of Acomb	12d.
Edw. Stubbs for the like offence	12d.
Thos. Walton for receiving an insufficient tenant into his house and not finding security	13s. 4d.
Robt. Darrell for lodging vagrant persons	3s. 4d.
Wm. Wilson for the like offence	3s. 4d.
Edw. Bawser for 2 similar offences	6s. 8d.
John Austen and Mrs. Bland for the same offence each	3s. 4d.
Thos. Topham for not repairing his <i>causey</i> at Eshgarthside and in front of his barn	3s. 4d.
Geo. Beane for not repairing his hedge between his land and Guy Thompson's	12d.
Isabel Beane for the like offence	12d.
Thos. Vescye for taking thorns from Wm. Beckwith's hedge and putting them on Wilkinson's hedge	12d.
Seth Bealby for breaking the pinfold	3s. 4d.
Isabel Beane for letting her pigs wander freely in the sown field	12d.

Court Baron before the steward 10 May of the same year [1624].

Free Tenants. Thos. Newarke, esq., Thos. Mosley, ald., Wm. Robinson, ald., Wm. Beckwith in right of his wife, Peter Hill, Patrick Weames, clerk.

Defaults. John Maskew, Mrs. Wright, Jas. Storey, Robt. Gray, Thos. Savill, Wm. Fairwether, Wm. Wright, John Hutchinson, Robt. Beane, Robt. Darrell, Robt. Skadlocke, Thos. Blyth, snr., John Clarke, Mary Barke, Ursula Calam, Edw. Sandwith, Hy. Wilkinson, Margery Weddell, widow, John Wells, Chris. Ragget, Robt.

¹ See note, p. 132.

Hodgson, John Oliver, Thos. Johnson, Thos. Todd, Thos. Wilson, Mary Goodrick, Seth. Reynolds, Wm. Goodricke, jnr., Wm. Priance, Jas. Pallessor, Thos. Manners, Geo. Beane, Edw. Judson, Ric. Robinson, Geo. Elmer, Tristram Tinsley, Wm. Pape, Robt. Ray, John Topham and Thos. Marshall owed suit of court, defaulted and were fined. [Fines unspecified].

Homage. Fran. Spacie, Peter Hill, Wm. Hill, Guy Thompson, Thos. Johnson, Thos. Furth, Robt. Wharton, Thos. Mealbye, Ric. Hanley, Wm. Harnis, Thos. Walton, Wm. Burdeux, John Lam and Wm. Beckwith.

Assessors of this Court. Fran. Spacie and Thos. Furth.

Presentments.

Thos. Plewman for tethering his horses in the meadow 6d.

John Skarr for the like offence 6d.

Joan Johnson, wife of Thos. Johnson, died seised of a long strip containing $\frac{1}{2}$ a., a Milnesty containing $\frac{1}{2}$ a. and a Cargate in Acombe. Geo. Johnson was her son and nearest heir and was about 17 yrs. of age. Fine [unspecified].

A third proclamation was made that if anyone claimed the premises forfeited at the court before last by Thos. Shipton and Cecily, his wife, he should come and be heard. No one did so.

A third proclamation was made that anyone claiming the premises forfeited by John Austen and Thos. Mealbye at the court before last should come and be heard. Peter Hill came and continued his claim, made at the last court, to the land called a *Midfordland*. No one else came.

Robt. Burdeux, son of Wm. Burdeux, and Grace Shipton, daughter of Thos. Shipton, received of the lord a messuage, garth, barn and croft, 1 oxgang of land, 2 Cargates, 2 Feildgates and meadow and pasture in Acomb, lately in the tenure of Thos. Shipton and now forfeited to the lord for the demise for 21 yrs. granted by Thos. Shipton and Cecily, his wife, to Thos. Hillam. Fine £6.

Thos. Mealby received of the lord all the *Ouge Acre* alias Ouz Acre near the land of Jas. Metcalfe and Fran. Spacie, a Hingingclife containing $\frac{1}{2}$ a. near the land of Fran. Spacie and Peter Hill, a Midfordland near the land of Wm. Maskew, gent., and John Wilkinson, a Clothalfacre near the land of Fran. Spacye and Wm. Cobstake and a Marrland near the land of Fran. Spacye and Jas. Metcalfe, with appurtenances in Acomb, lately in the tenure of Thos. Mealby and forfeited by him because of the demise granted by him and John Austen to John Robinson for life. He paid a fine of 20s. saving the right of Peter Hill to Midfordland if he wished to proceed further.

John Marston surrendered per Peter Hill, Fran. Spacye and Wm. Wright a cottage called the *Gaile* at the W. end of Acombe with a small garth at the back and common and other appurtenances to the use of Jane Milner, Chris. Milner and Eliz., his wife. Fine 12s.

John Austen complained against Ellen Bland as executrix of Robt. Bland, her husband, in a plea of debt on demand of 5s. for the

sheep which the plt. and Robt. Bland bought together, 7 James 1609-10 for £4 13s. 4d., and for which he paid 5s. of the money owed by the said Robt. The dft. appeared and protested that she owed nothing for the agreement which had been paid in full. The homage decided in favour of the dft.

Court Leet or View of Frankpledge with Court Baron of Henry Newarke, gent., before William Holmes, esq., steward, 7 Oct. 21 James 1 [1623].

Free Tenants. Thos. Newarke, esq., Thos. Mosley, ald., Wm. Robinson, ald., Wm. Beckwith in right of his wife, Peter Hill, Patrick Weanes.

Essoins. Thos. Todd, Thos. Peighen and others.

Defaults. Thos. Newarke, esq., Thos. Mosley, ald., Wm. Robinson, ald., Thos. Savill, Mary Barke, Edw. Sandwith, Hy. Wilkinson, John Wells, Thos. Johnson, Thos. Waite and John Tophan owed suit of court, defaulted and were fined 4d. each.

Homage. Fran. Spacye, Peter Hill, Wm. Prynce, Thos. Blyth, Thos. Mealby, Wm. Harnis, Wm. Beckwith, Geo. Beane, Chris. Waggett, Wm. Goodricke, jnr., Thos. Vescye, Thos. Wilson and John Lam.

Assessors at this Court. Fran. Spacye and Peter Hill.

[Presentments.]

Wm. Bates because he <i>hath drawn blode</i> of Wm. Willebe	6s.	8d.
Vallery Tone for lodging vagrants	3s.	4d.
John Wilkinson for taking Thos. Waite into his house without entering bonds for the security of the township. The said Thos. now lacked maintenance and was a burden to the inhabitants	20s.	0d.
Vallery Tone for receiving tenants into his house on Holgate hill	20s.	0d.
John Skirra for not putting his pigs in a sty at night		4d.
Wm. Beckwith for not repairing his hedge in the Gaile		12d.
Geo. Newton for breaking Wm. Beckwith's hedge in the Gaile		12d.
Thos. Newarke for not ringing his pigs	2s.	0d.
Robt. Skadlocke and Hy. Harnis for not repairing their share of the common pinfold		12d.
Robt. Foster because he tethered his horse in the sown field at night	3s.	4d.
And for not milling well the corn of tenants and neighbours and for taking too much toll for milling	10s.	0d.
Robt. Hill for not repairing his hedges on the Apple-treestubbends and elsewhere		6d.
John Skirra for the like offence		6d.

Mrs. Plaister because she *soulded and cursed* the neighbours 4d.

Mary Bargh of Kirkgarforth, co. York, widow, daughter of Geo. Hill, late of Acomb, deceased, surrendered per Thos. Walton, Thos. Vescye and John Arter, to the use of Peter Hill and Alice, his wife, $\frac{1}{2}$ oxgang of land with 1 Cargate and 1 Feildgate of meadow and pasture with appurtenances in Acomb, viz. an Ouseacre between lands of Thos. Mosley, ald., and Wm. Hill, 1 a.; Eastlands and Westlands in Hobmore next to lands of Robt. Burdus and Peter Hill, 2 r.; a Brode Loskar in the Chappell feild between lands of Thos. Mosley and Wm. Hill, $\frac{1}{2}$ a.; a Knaptongatebitt between lands of Mr. Mosley and Wm. Hill, $\frac{1}{2}$ r.; a Skoolebreed between lands of Thos. Mosley and Wm. Hill, $\frac{1}{2}$ r.; in the Greatelandnooke between lands of Thos. Mosley and Wm. Hill, $\frac{1}{2}$ r.; a Longe Halfe Acre in the Farfeild between lands of Thos. Mosley and Wm. Hill, $\frac{1}{2}$ a.; a Mildure between lands of Thos. Mosley and Wm. Hill, $\frac{1}{2}$ a.; a Scorrbutt between lands of Thos. Mosley and Wm. Hill, 1 r.; a dale of meadow on the Overicends and another dale in the West Ings, both between lands of Thos. Mosley and Wm. Hill. Fine [unspecified].

John Marston surrendered per Edw. Vauser and Thos. Walton 2 half acres of arable land in Acomb fields called *Appletreestubbends*, $\frac{1}{2}$ a. on the S. of Wm. Hill's land and the other $\frac{1}{2}$ a. on the S. of Peter Hill's land, to the use of John Arter. Fine [unspecified].

Jas. Story and Clara, his wife, Robt. Gray and Mary, his wife, surrendered per Thos. Plewman and John Arter 3 r. of arable land with appurtenances in Acomb called a *Husburnehow*, a Kirke Rood and a Long Rood in the Beckfeild, to the use of Edw. Vauser of Acomb and Margaret, his wife. Fine [unspecified].

Jas. Pallessor died since the last court seised of 1 messuage, 2 oxgangs and 2 a. of land and also $\frac{1}{2}$ oxgang of land and all the meadow belonging to $1\frac{1}{2}$ oxgangs (except in the Great Ings). Thos. Pallessor was his son and nearest heir and was 23 yrs. of age. Fine £12.

[Subscribed] By me W. Holmes, steward.

Court Leet or View of Frankpledge with Great Court Baron of Henry Newarke before William Holmes, steward, 29 March 22 James 1 [1624].

Free Tenants. Thos. Newarke, esq., Thos. Mosley, ald., Wm. Robinson, ald., Wm. Beckwith in right of his wife, Peter Hill, and Patrick Weanes, clerk.

Essoins. Wm. Goodricke, Margery Weddall, widow, Thos. Todd, Wm. Pryance and others.

Defaults. Thos. Newarke, esq., Thos. Mosely, ald., Wm. Robinson, ald., Mrs. Wright, Mrs. Bland, Thos. Savill in right of his wife, Magdalene Metcalfe, Robt. Darrell, Chris. Milnor, Eliz. Milner, Eliz. Wright, Ursula Calam, Robt. Hodgson, Hy. Tone and Thos. Marshall owed suit of court, defaulted and were each fined 4d.

Homage. Peter Hill, Fran. Spacye, Robt. Skadlocke, Thos. Plewman, Wm. Harnis, Thos. Furth, Geo. Beane, Wm. Goodrick, jnr., Thos. Johnson, Geo. Lorimer, Thos. Blyth, jnr., Thos. Mealby, Wm. Beckwith, Ric. Hanley and Thos. Oliver.

Assessors. Peter Hill and Fran. Spacy.

Thos. Newarke of Acomb, esq., surrendered per Fran. Spacye and Peter Hill a messuage with a croft and 2 Cargates in Acomb called the *Kilne* to the use after his death of Matt. Wrangham, his servant. Fine 30s.

Robt. French of Houlegate, apothecary, surrendered per Guy Thompson and Thos. Manners 2 oxgangs of meadow in the Greate Ings of Houlegate to the use of Hy. French. Fine 40s.

Robt. French also surrendered per Guy Thompson and Thos. Manners a house with all the barns, stables and buildings, a garden and a close in the field of Houlegate called *Colecrofte* containing 2½ a., 2 oxgangs of meadow and pasture and all the Feildgates and Faughgates belonging to them, and all the remainder of his lands to the use of Bridget French and Hy. French jointly during her widowhood and afterwards to the use of Hy. French. Fine £7.

Robt. French died since the last court. Hy. French was his son and nearest heir and was about 21 yrs. of age. He had the surrender of a messuage and 2 oxgangs of land held of the lord by copy of court roll as aforesaid.

Hy. Wilkinson died since the last court seised of a cottage and 2 oxgangs of land. John Wilkinson was his son and nearest heir and was about 6 yrs. of age. Fine £5, but fealty was respited.

Presentments.

Thos. Waite for allowing his son to take a burden of whins from the Skew Whinns	12d.
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John Lambe for refusing to lodge a traveller at the constable's request	6s. 8d.
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Robt. Darrell for lodging certain vagrants ..	3s. 4d.
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Robt. Gray for refusing to obey the constable's order to watch in order to drive away vagrants ..	4d.
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Robt. Ray for the like offence	4d.
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John Skirra for carrying whins from others' hedges ..	12d.
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Reg. Dutton for not cleansing his watercourse for the avoiding of water from the Ousakare Backside ..	3s. 4d.
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Mr. Hy. Newarke and John Akers for the like offence each	12d.
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Robt. Wrangham for selling ale by a measure contrary to the assize	3s. 4d.
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John Lambe and Robt. Darrell for the like offence each	3s. 4d.
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Robt. Wrangham for not ploughing in the Winter Corne Feild within 5 days of his neighbours ..	12d.
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Thos. Hill for the like offence	12d.
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Robt. Wrangham for going with his cart and animals on the Overstyway after it had been sown	3s. 4d.
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The wife of John Akers because she <i>soulded</i> with Edw. Stubb's wife	4d.
Chris. Milner for taking whins from the Skew Whinns		12d.
Chris. Thompson for the like offence	.. .. .	12d.

Penalties [in English].

Neither the wife of John Akers nor any others in Acomb or Holgate were to scold with one another .. 3s. 4d.

Edw. Vauser and Robt. Quarton and all others on N. side of the town to repair their causeways in front of their doors where necessary before Whitsuntide next .. 3s. 4d.

No inhabitant of Acombe or Houlegate were to tether horses or mares in any cornfield at night .. 3s. 4d.

All inhabitants of Acomb to make up their fences on the Markanhowbalke and cleanse the quickwood before Whitsunday next 12d.

All the penalties laid at the last court held on 7 Oct. 1623 were confirmed by the homage.

[subscribed] Examined by me, W. Holmes, steward.

Court Baron of Henry Newarke before William Holmes, esq., 27 Aug. 22 James 1 [1624].

Free Tenants. Thos. Newarke, esq., Thos. Mosley, ald., deceased, Wm. Robinson, ald., Wm. Beckwith in right of his wife, Peter Hill, Patrick Weanes.

Defaults. Thos. Newarke, esq., Wm. Robinson, Thos. Hill, Thos. Peighen, Mrs. Wright, Robt. Gray, John Arther, Robt. Wharton, Robt. Darrell, Thos. Blyth, snr., Thos. Savill in right of his wife, John Hutchinson, John Walker, Agnes Runton, John Skirray, Ursula Calam, Edw. Sandwith, Wm. Hill, son of Robt., Thos. Todd, Margery Weddell, widow, John Wells, Robt. Hodgeson, John Oliver, Mary Goodrick, Seth Reynolds, Bridget French, widow, Wm. Thompson, Wm. Pape, Thos. Smith, Thos. Marshall, Hy. Ferbye and John Ferbye owed suit of court, defaulted and were fined. [Fines unspecified].

Homage. John Maskew, Wm. Fairwether, Fran. Spacy, Peter Hill, Wm. Hill, John Wilkinson, Wm. Burdeux, Wm. Wright, Robt. Skadlock, Thos. Plewman, Thos. Blyth, jnr., Wm. Pryance, Chris. Waggett, Thos. Johnson, Thos. Furth and John Clarke.

Assessors. John Maskew and Fran. Spacye.

Thos. Mosley, ald. of the city of York, died since the last court seised of $\frac{1}{2}$ oxgang of land which he had by the surrender of John Burdux and Margaret, his wife, $\frac{1}{2}$ oxgang by surrender of John Kirkbye, and a messuage, 2 cottages, 2 garths, 2 oxgangs of land and 3 a. of arable land in Hologate by surrender of John Watson, 3 half a. of arable in Acombe by surrender of Peter Hill, 1 oxgang of land and 3 dales in the Greate Intack called *Hologate Ings* and all the meadow and eatage belonging to another oxgang in the Ings by

surrender of Wm. and Isabel Marshall, a cottage, garth and croft in Acombe by surrender of Hy. Cutfforth, an oxgang of land in Acombe, excepting 3 r., by surrender of Robt. and Geo. Hologate, 1 oxgang, 2 Cargates and 2 Feildgates in Acombe by surrender of Robt. Pallessor, 1 r., 1 garden and a little house in Hologate by surrender of Thos. Faireburne, 2 oxgangs, one in Acombe and the other in Hologate by surrender of Geo. Gill, 1 cottage, 1 toft or croft in Acombe by surrender of Ric. Duffield, 1 messuage, 1 barn, 1 garden and 2 Cargates in Acombe by surrender of Abraham Bamfurth, 1 messuage, 1 garden and 1 oxgang of land in Acombe by surrender of Robt. Harrison and Kath., his wife, 1 messuage or tenement, a garth, 3 crofts and 2 oxgangs of land in Acombe, 2 cottages and a messuage called Dicegarth, 2 other messuages, 1 garth and 2 oxgangs of land in Hologate, 1 Cargate and 1 Feildgate in Acombe and all the messuages, lands and tenements in Acombe and Hologate lately belonging to Wm. Hologate who forfeited them to the lord, and also 1 messuage, 1 barn and 1 garth in Hologate and 1 close called *Eshclose* which were the lands of Geo. Gill and Joan, his wife. Anne (11 yrs.), Margaret (9 yrs.), Mary (8 yrs.) and Jane Mosley (3 yrs.) were his nearest heirs, being daughters of John Mosley, his son, deceased. Fine £80. Fealty was respited on account of their age.

John Hologate surrendered per Robt. Hill and Robt. Burdeux 1½ a., viz. 2 Longlandends, 2 r.; an Oxcrofte, 1 r.; and 3 r. on the Smithye Greene on the E. side of Acombe; to the use of Wm. Lambe. Fine [unspecified].

**View of Frankpledge with Court Baron of Richard Wood, esq.,
Thursday 18 April 1650.**

The Homage. Wm. Maskewe, Robt. Scadlock, Ambrose Hill, Robt. Burdeux, Matt. Thompson, Ric. Shipton, Robt. Walker, Fran. Armiston, Robt. Darrell, Hy. Robinson, Wm. Plewman, Geo. Hudson, Chas. Dicconson and Robt. Jeab.

Presentments.

Wm. Rodes for keeping his horse and geese in the corn fields at night	..	..	..	..	..	10s.	0d.
Fran. Armison for the like offence	..	..	..	..	..	3s.	4d.
Wm. Rodes for not scouring his watercourse in Hobmoore	..	..	..	..	..	10s.	0d.
Thos. Ellison for not repairing the . . . [illegible] steele	..	..	..	..	..	3s.	4d.
Ric. Shipton for not repairing the Hobmoore Style	..	..	..	..	..	6s.	8d.
Wm. Scrafton for not repairing the fences in Acam churchyard	..	..	..	..	..		12d.
Wm. Hood, Geo. Allyn, John Richmond, Wm. Harnes, Robt. Willoughby, Robt. Barker, Geo. Lorrymer, Edm. Lorrymer, Peter Jackson, Jas. Jackson, Fran. Lorrymer and Wm. Archer for the like offence	each	..	..	..	..		12d.
Geo. Jackson for not repairing his fence at the Colcroft End	..	..	..	..	..		12d.

Chas. Dickenson for not repairing his share of the common pound 10d.

Geo. Hudson, Wm. Plewman, Matt. Wharton, Geo. Gilburne, Robt. Wrangham, Matt. Thompson, Jos. Lambe and Ric. Shipton for the like default . . . each 10d.

Edm. Lorrymer, customary tenant of 1 a. of land with appurtenances in Acam, died since the last court and Edward Lorrymer is his son and nearest heir. Fine [unspecified].

John Mallory, kt., and Lady Mary, his wife, Thos. Strickland, kt., and Lady Jane, his wife, and John Kay, kt. and bart., had surrendered on 7 May 1649 per Robt. Scadlock and Wm. Plewman 2 messuages, 2 cottages, 4 oxgangs and 3 half a. of land lately in the occupation of John Lambe and now of Robt. Jeab, a messuage and 2 oxgangs of land in the occupation of Thos. Akarrrs, a cottage and a garth (*atrium*) in the occupation of Tristram Tilsley, 1 oxgang in the occupation of Chas. Dickinson, 1 Cargate and 1 Feildgaite lately in the occupation of John Lambe, all in Acam, to the use of Geo. Gowland and Philip Gowland. Fine [unspecified].

Thos. Strickland, kt., and Lady Jane, his wife, and John Mallory, kt., and Lady Mary, his wife, had surrendered on 16 May 1649 per Geo. Gowland and Wm. Burdeux a ruined messuage and a common yard called *Ashgarth or Eshgarth*, lately in the tenure of Robt. Jeab, and a cottage lately in the tenure of Geo. Bolton and *half the garth throughout* adjoining on the E. the land of Thos. Newarke, gent., 9 r. of arable land in the Intacke adjoining land of Thos. Palliser on the N. and land in the occupation of Geo. Jackson on S. and 20½ a. of arable land and 3½ oxgangs of meadow in Holgate, to the use of Robt. Burdeux and Grace, his wife. Fine [unspecified].

Thos. Strickland, kt., and Lady Jane, his wife, and John Mallory, kt., and Lady Mary, his wife, on 16 May 1649 surrendered per Geo. Gowland and Robt. Burdeux a ruined messuage and adjacent garth, lately in the tenure of Hy. Reynolds, and a ruined cottage in the occupation of Lawrence Aikerrs with *half the garth* adjoining it lying next the land of Chris. Richardson, 3 roods in the Gravell Holes in the Colcroft Feild, in the Follymilne Feild 3 long strips called *Longlands*, 1½ a., at the end of the Crabtrees, 1 long strip on the same Flatt, ½ a., adjoining the Lordship Balke on S. and land of Wm. Maskue on N., a Kell Land, ½ a., adjoining lands of Robt. Scadlocke on E., and Thos. Mealby on W., 2 Crabtree Lands, one being a broad strip and the other a steep (*areta*) strip, 3 r., adjoining lands of Kath. French on E. and Robt. Burdeux on W., and 20½ a. of arable land and 3½ oxgangs of meadow in Holgate to the use of Wm. Burdeux. Fine [unspecified].

Thos. Blyth of Askham Bryan and others surrendered on 16 April 1650 per Matt. Thompson and Jos. Lambe a messuage, garth, croft, 2 barns, a cottage, an orchard and 5 oxgangs of land and a Clifton Acre, all in Acomb and in the tenure of Matt. Thompson, viz., in the Millfield, 2 Owzacres, 2 a.; 3 Milnstyes, 1½ a.; 2 Longlands, 1 a.; 2 Husbandhowes, 1 a.; 2 Bitts against the Ouse, 1½ a.;

a Kirke Rood, 1 r.; 2 Longlands, 1 a.; a Bitt, a Milsyke, 1 r.; 3 Pellett Raines, 1 a. 2½ r.; 2 Longland Ends, 1 r.; 2 Bitts Over Way, 1 r.; a Dowdill Bitt, 1 r.; 2 Oxcrofts, 3 r.; 3 Holgate Roods; 2 Moorelands, 2 a.; in the Chappell Field, a Kell Land, 1 a.; a Sandy Land, 1 r.; 2 Wett Lands, 3 r.; 2 Barreladykes, 1½ r., a Greateland Nooke, 1 r.; a Wrangland, ½ a.; 4 Loskerrs, 2 a.; 8 Gilderskarres, 4 a.; 3 Loskarr Caules, 1½ r.; 2 Beckbitts, 1½ r.; 3 Lamacrofts, 3 r.; 2 Knapton Gate Bitts, 1½ r.; a Henthorne, 1 r.; a Scoole Bread, 1 r.; a Foulfurr, 2 r.; 2 Colthalfe Acres, 1 a.; a Mare, 2 r.; a Longrode, 2 r.; in the Farr Feild, 3 Longhalfe Acres, 1½ a.; 2 Appletreestubbs, 1 a.; a Gouldy Bottom, 2 r.; 2 Pynes, 1 a.; 2 Scorbutts, 2 r.; 3 Little Halfe Acres, 1 a. 2 r.; 4 Midforth Lands, 2 a.; 3 Hingingcliffes, 1½ a.; 3 Milndores, 1½ a.; 3 Melgates, 3 r.; 3 Averices, 1½ a.; and 1½ a. on Hobmoore to the use of Thos. Blyth for life, remainder to John Blyth, his son, and his heirs, remainder to Hy. Blyth, son of Thos., and his heirs, remainder to Ric. Blyth, son of Thos., and his heirs, remainder to Thos. Blyth, son of Thos., and his heirs. Proviso that if Thos. Blyth the father should pay 6d. to the lord or his bailiff this surrender to be void. Thos. Blyth, the father, should be allowed to surrender the premises to anyone he wished. Fine [unspecified].

Court Baron of Richard Wood, esq., Monday 5 August 1650.

Homage. Wm. Maskew, Matt. Thomson, Geo. Gilborne, Ric. Shipton, Robt. Darrell, Wm. Plewman, Edw. Lorrymer, Robt. Gibb, Robt. Wrangham, Thos. Harnes, Hy. Robinson, John Moate.

John Hodgson, a customary tenant, died seised of a cottage called *Kirk House*, meadow belonging to it called *Ingge Leas* lying in the west field of Acam, near the Beckgate between the Beckbutts and Butlands, land called a *Kell End* in the same field, and a pit in the Far Feild called the *Lady Pitt* of Acam between the Milndoores and the Stainebrigge Pitts. Anne, late wife of Thos. Scott of York, barber, deceased, was the daughter and heir of John Hodgson. Thos. Scott of York, barber, is the son and heir of Thos. Scott and Anne and was admitted. Fine [unspecified].

Thos. Atkinson surrendered on 11 May 1648 per Wm. Goodrick and Robt. Goodrick 3 r. of arable land called *Marshall Butts* and 1 r. between the highways at the N. end of Clifton near the cross in Clifton fields to the use of Peter Wells, and Thos. Wells, his son. Fine [unspecified].

Robt. Wrangham and Margaret, his wife, surrendered on 23 July 1650 per Wm. Maskewe and Wm. Plewman a messuage and 2 crofts lying behind, in Acomb, to the use of Thos. Newarke, gent. Proviso that if Robt. Wrangham or Margaret should pay Thos. Newarke £11 12s. on or before 11 Nov., called Martinmas Day, 1652 this surrender to be void. Fine [unspecified].

Anne Moseley, spinster, one of the daughters of John Moseley, gent., deceased, and co-heir of Thos. Moseley, late of York, ald., her grandfather, died seised of a quarter share of 10 messuages, 4

cottages, 16 oxgangs of land and 1 oxgang of meadow in the Greate Inggs in Acam and Holgate. Lady Margaret Kay, deceased, Lady Mary Mallory, wife of John Mallory, kt., and Lady Jane Strickland, wife of Thos. Strickland, kt., were sisters and co-heiresses of Anne Moseley. Lady Mary and Lady Jane paid a fine [unspecified] and were admitted.

Lady Margaret Kay, late wife of John Kay, kt. and bart., one of the daughters of John Moseley, gent., deceased, and co-heiress of Thos. Moseley, late of York, ald., her grandfather, died seised of a third share of the above property. John Kay, esq., her son by John Kay, was her heir. Fine [unspecified].

Court Baron of Richard Wood, esq., Friday 8 Aug. 1651.

Homage. Robert Scadlocke, Jos. Lambe, Thos. Mealby, John Mealby, Robt. Wrangham, Wm. Burdeux, Robt. Jeab, Robt. Burdeux, Thos. Harnes, Geo. Hudson, Geo. Jackson and Matt. Thompson.

Presented – Thos. Ellison for not making up his frontstead 10s. 0d.

A *payne* laid that Ric. Shipton shall sufficiently scour his water sewer in Hobmoor within ten days .. . 20s. 0d.

Jonas Spacy, gent., on 13 May 1650 surrendered per Wm. Plowman and Ambrose Hill 2 messuages, 2 garths and 4 oxgangs of land in Acome unto John Beal of York, draper, and Jas. Beale of Barley in the county of York, draper, for the use of Dorcas Beale, daughter of Paule Beale of York for the term of 40 yrs. Provided that if the sum of three score pounds per annum is paid by Jonas Spacy to John Beale and Jas. Beale for the use of Dorcas Beale for the full term of 8 yrs. to be accounted for from the feast of St. John the Baptist next [June 24], at the feast of St. Martin the Bishop in Winter [Nov. 11] and Pentecost, commonly called Whitsuntide, or within 10 days of either feast by equal portions, the first payment to be made at the Feast of St. Martin next, then these presents to be void. Fine [unspecified].

Sir John Kay, kt. and bart., Sir John Mallory, kt., and Dame Mary, his wife, Sir Thos. Strickland, kt., and Dame Jane, his wife, on 5 April 1651 surrendered per Geo. Hudson and Matt. Thompson all those messuages, cottages, tofts, crofts &c., and 4 oxgangs of land in Acome heretofore in the occupation of Jos. Lamb and Widow Waram and now of Robt. Scadlock to the use of Thomas Blyth of Askham Bryan, gent., and Hy. Blyth, his son. Fine [unspecified].

View of Free Pledges with Court Baron of Richard Wood, esq., Wednesday, 15 Oct. 1651.

Homage. Wm. Maskewe, Geo. Gowland, Robt. Scadlock, Robt. Burdeux, Wm. Plowman, Jos. Lamb, Matt. Thompson, Ric. Shipton, Geo. Jackson, Robt. Kay, Robt. Darrell, Thos. Mealby, Robt. Wrangham.

Who present Thos. Ellison and Ric. Shipton for not making a stile into Hobmoor according to the *payne*
each 10s. 0d.

And Ric. Daniell of Holgate for keeping 2 swine unringed 2s. 0d.

The lord did demand of Thos. Hill, son and heir of Thos. Hill, late of Acomb, deceased, £6 for the fine of an oxgang of land which descended to him on the death of his father.

Also of Hy. Topham, son and heir of John Topham, 20s. for the fine of 1 a. of land in Hologate which descended to him on the death of John, his late father.

Also of Sir Wm. Robinson, kt., £5 for the fine of 2½ a. of land in Clifton surrendered to him by Phillip Eshe and John Oliver.

Also of Phillip Eshe £5 for the fine of 2½ a. of land in Clifton surrendered to him by John Oliver.

Also of Sir Wm. Robinson, kt., 40s. for the fine of 1 a. of land in Clifton surrendered to him by Margery Weddall, widow.

Also of Sir Wm. Robinson, kt., £48 for the fine of 2 cottages and 23 a. of land surrendered to him by Edm. Sandwish and Frances, his wife, and Thos. Sandwish, their son.

Also of Thos. Wells, son and heir of Peter Wells of Clifton, 40s. for the fine of 1 a. of land which descended to him on the death of his father.

Also of Wm. Richardson, son and heir of Thos. Richardson, 50s. for the fine of 1 a. of meadow in Clifton which descended to him on the death of his father.

Also of John Goodrick, son and heir of John Goodrick of Clifton, deceased, £3 for the fine of a messuage and a croft which descended to him on the death of his father.

Also of Mary Wilson and Isabell Wilson, daughters and co-heirs of Thos. Wilson, £3 for the fine of a cottage and 1 a. of land which descended to them on the death of their father.

Also of Ann Middleton, widow, late wife of John Goodrick, £6 for the fine of a messuage and garden, an orchard, a croft and 1 a. of land in Clifton which John Goodrick surrendered to the use of himself and Ann Middleton whom he afterwards married.

Also of Thos. Goodaile the younger £10 for the fine of a messuage and close in Clifton surrendered to him by Margery Weddall, widow, and Wm. Weddall, gent.

Also of Thos. Hill, brother and heir of Wm. Hill, deceased, £12 for the fine of 2 oxgangs of land in Acam which descended to him after the death of his brother.

Also of Jane Hill, daughter of Barbara Hill, widow, £16 for the fine of a messuage, barn, garth, a little close and 2 oxgangs of land in Hologate surrendered to her by her mother.

Also of Ric. Shipton 12s. for the fine of an oxgang of meadow in Acam surrendered to him by John Ater and Elizabeth, his wife.

Also of Thos. Hill, brother and heir of Wm. Hill, deceased, £12 for the fine of 2 oxgangs of land in Acam.

Also of George Hudson, the heir of Peter Hill, 20s. for the fine of 3 r. of land in Acam in a close of Peter Hill.

Also of the heir of Thos. Hill of Acome 6s. 8d. for the fine of $\frac{1}{2}$ a. of land in Acome surrendered unto him by Geo. Hudson.

Also of Geo. Hudson 6s. 8d. for the fine of $\frac{1}{2}$ a. of land in Acam surrendered to him by Thos. Hill.

Also of Sir John Kay, kt. and bart., and Lady Margaret, his wife, of Sir John Mallory, kt., and Lady Mary, his wife, and of Sir Thos. Strickland, kt., and Lady Jane, his wife (the ladies being sisters and co-heirs of Ann Moseley, deceased), of the fourth part of 7 messuages, 2 cottages and 10 oxgangs of land in Acam and of the fourth part of 3 messuages, 2 cottages and 6 oxgangs of land and 1 oxgang of meadow in Hologate, £8 6s. 3d. for the fine of a fourth part of the premises which descended to them after the death of the said Ann.

And lastly of John Kay, esq., son and heir of Sir John Kay, kt. and bart., and Lady Margaret Kay, deceased, £11 1s. 8d. for the fine of the third part of 7 messuages, 2 cottages and 10 oxgangs of land in Acam and of 3 messuages, 2 cottages, 5 oxgangs of land and 1 oxgang of meadow in Hologate which descended to him on the death of Lady Margaret, his late mother.

[All the foregoing were given time to pay until 10 Nov. 1651 else a seizure should be made of the property.]

Court Baron of Richard Wood, esq., Monday 10 Nov. 1651.

Homage. Thos. Blyth, gent., Ambrose Hill, Thos. Harnis, Hy. Penrose, gent., Ric. Stevenson, Wm. Burdeux, Thos. Younge, Robt. Jeab, Robt. Walker, Geo. Gilborne, Chris. Etherington, Edw. Lorrymar, John Moate, Jas. Skirrey.

Paynes.

Any person that keeps swine do ring them within 14 days 4d.

All fore fronts, back and side fronts be made sufficient 10s. 0d.

Ric. Shipton and Thos. Ellison make a sufficient stile and bridge into Hobmoor 39s. 11d.

At this court a second proclamation was made for [the payment of fines as listed on pp. 151–152, *ante*.]

Court Baron of Richard Wood, esq., Monday 1 Dec. 1651.

Homage. Geo. Gowland, Wm. Burdeux, Robt. Scadlocke, Wm. Plewman, Hy. Penrose, Geo. Hudson, Matt. Thomson, Robt. Jeab, Ric. Shipton, Robt. Darrell, Jos. Lamb, Wm. Maskewe, Robt. Burdeux and Thos. Harnes.

Presented any person who owed suite at the court and appeared not at their call 2d.

Geo. Jackson for not repairing the highway between Cowlainegate and Willow Bridge 3s. 4d.

Ric. Shipton and Thos. Ellison for not repairing the stile into Hobmoor and the fence belonging to it . . . 6s. 8d.

[A third proclamation made for the payment of the fines as listed on pp. 151–152 *ante*.]

Court Baron, Wed., 25 Feb. 1651/2.

Homage. Wm. Maskewe, Geo. Gowland, Robt. Scadlock, Wm. Burdeux, Jos. Lamb, Geo. Jackson, Thos. Harnes, Wm. Plewman, John Atterr, Matt. Thompson, Matt. Wharton, Edw. Lorrymer, Robt. Walker and Robt. Daniell.

[A statement that a first proclamation was made in open court on 15 Oct., a second proclamation on 10 Nov., and a third on 1 Dec., for the fines, as listed above, to be paid else their property should be forfeit to the use of the lord of the manor.]

Court Leet or View of Frankpledge with Court Baron of William Webb, esq., Wed., 5 April 1654 before Henrie Barker, steward.

Free Tenants. Thos. Newarke, gent., John Bayne, clerk, Robt. Scadlock, Robt. Burdeux, Phillip Gowland, Ann Mealbie, widow, Ric. Bancks, Matt. Thomson.

Essoynes. Thos. Newarke, gent., Thos. Blyth, gent., Geo. Hudson, Elizabeth Coates, Jonas Spacie and others.

Defaults. John Bland 4d., Sir Wm. Robinson, kt., 4d., John Charlton, gent., tenant of John Goodrick, an infant, 4d., Elizabeth Varye, 4d., Thos. Dighton in his wife's right, 4d., Thos. Ellison of Askham Richard, 4d., Thomas Garthwaite in right of his wife, 4d., Wm. Robinson of Askham, 4d., Geo. Catterton, 4d., John Catterton, 4d., owed suit of court and defaulted and were fined as stated.

Homage. Geo. Gowland, Wm. Burdewe, Robt. Burdewe, Robt. Scadlock, Matt. Thomson, Jos. Lambe, Robt. Goodericke, Edw. Lorrimer, Ric. Shipton, Thos. Harnis, Fran. Armson, Wm. Plowman, Geo. Jackson.

Affeerers. Geo. Gowland, Wm. Burdeux.

Presentments.

John Rodes for Ann, his wife, breaking the common				
<i>Pinfould</i> of Acomb	..	..	..	3s. 4d.
Geo. Hudson for his fence lying down to the cornfield				2s. 6d.
Robt. Wrangham, Geo. Gilborne, Geo. Shaw and				
Matt. Wharton for the like	..	..	each	1s. 6d.
Geo. Gilborne for tethering his goods in the cornfield				3s. 0d.
Robt. Wrangham for the like	..	..	..	3s. 0d.

Paynes.

Thos. Akers overseer of the common well at the E. end				
of Acomb cause an assessment to be made and the well				
put in good repair by midsummer	..	..	..	15s. 0d.

Everyone shall ring their swine by midsummer . . . for every pig unringed 4d.

John Benson shall throw down his ditch and fence on the backside of his house within six days 20s. 0d.

The occupier of Burne Garth keep their fence in good repair 10s. 0d.

Thos. Newarke, gent., make up his long close fence sufficiently within three days 10s. 0d.

Geo. Hudson to make up his fence about his Hobmoor Close within three days 10s. 0d.

The occupiers of the Clifton Acres to *gripp* every one their own lands before midsummer 12d.

Everyone to make up his lands ends and side fences about Hobmore within six days and so keep them 12d.

No inhabitant of Acome or Holgate shall take in any tenants into their houses but they shall enter sufficient bond to bear the said towns harmless of them 39s. 0d.

Every man shall repair and keep up his lands ends and side fences betwixt White Close and Acomb Inges 12d.

No inhabitant shall fell any whins on Acome More in the Skew Whinnes without consent of a bylaw . . .
every burden 12d. and every load 10s. 0d.

Robt. Jibb of Holgate and Dorothy, his wife, and Peter Jibb, his son, on 8 March 1653 surrendered per Wm. Burdeux and Matt. Thomson a cottage with a garth and common of pasture in Holgate to the use of Jas. Wilson of York, the elder, for his natural life and after his decease to the use of Jas. Wilson the younger. Fine 40s.

Geo. Hudson on 8 Aug. 1653 surrendered per Geo. Jackson and Ric. Shipton 4 a. of land in Acomb, viz. in the Milnfield 1 a. on the Kirkerodes, in the Chappelfield 2 a. on the Kell Lands betwixt lands of Anne Mealby on E., and the balk called *Bystie Hill* balk, and in the Farfeild 1 a. on the Appletree Stubbs, one $\frac{1}{2}$ a. near Thos. Blythes headland and the other $\frac{1}{2}$ a. next to that (except two) to the use of Fran. Mawburne of York, stationer, always provided that if Geo. Hudson pay to Fran. Mawburne £29 by 25 May next then this surrender to be void. Fine 26s. 8d.

Wm. Plowman on 19 Nov. 1653 surrendered per Jos. Lamb and Ric. Shipton, $1\frac{1}{2}$ a. in the Wetlands in the Chappelfield, 1 r. in Hobmoor adjoining lands of Thos. Newarke on the E. end of Thos. Blyth on the W., a Holgate Roode in Acomb Lowfeild next the land of Thos. Newark on the N., and betwixt lands of Thos. Newark and Thos. Harnis on the S. to the use of Adam Pickard of York, merchant. Fine 40s.

Court Leet or View of Frankpledge with Court Baron of William Webb, esq., 16 Oct. 1654 before Henrie Barker, steward.

Free Tenants. Thos. Newark, gent., John Bayne, clerk, Robt. Scadlocke, Robt. Burdeux, Phillip Gowland, Anne Mealbie, widow, Ric. Bankes in right of his wife, and Matt. Thomson.

Essoynes. Hy. Penrose, Fran. Armitson, Ambrose Hill, Geo. Shaw, his tenant Jane Topham, widow, Thos. Scott, Ric. Stephenson, Kath. French, John Peighen, gent., Matt. Wharton, his tenant Elizabeth Mossley, John Staneley.

Defaults. Phillip Gowland 4d., Jonas Spacy 4d., Wm. Plewman 4d., Fran. Mawburne 4d., Sir Wm. Robinson, kt., 4d., Wm. Goodericke 4d., Robt. Goodrick 4d., John Lambert gent., 4d., Isabell Wilson 4d., Geo. Gledston 4d., John Charleton tenant of John Goodericke an infant 4d., Thos. Wells 4d., Thos. Goodall the younger 4d., Thos. Dighton 4d., Elizabeth Varie, widow, 4d., John Calvert, gent., 4d., Magdalen Bradley, wife of John Bradley 4d., Peter Gibb 4d., Thos. Ellison of Askam Richard 4d., Thos. Garthwaite in right of his wife 4d., Thos. Fearby 4d., Thos. Palliser 4d., Wm. Robinson of Askham 4d., Geo. Catterton 4d., and John Catterton 4d. owed suit of court but defaulted and were fined as stated.

Homage. Geo. Gowland, Wm. Burdus, Robt. Scadlocke, Robt. Burdus, Jos. Lamb, Matt. Thomson, Edw. Lorryman, Thos. Mealby, Robt. Ray, Robt. Walker, Thos. Harnis, Geo. Jackson, John Bland.

Presentments.

John Benson for not throwing down his ditch and fence on the backside of his house 3s. 4d.

Robt. Wrangham for his fence lying down on the Appletree Stubbs 12d.

Geo. Gilburne for one *fould* break 16d.

Chris. Etherington for the like 3s. 4d.

John Chapman for carrying whins out to Skew Whins by burden 12d.

Marie Hitchman for the like 12d.

Stephen Pearson, Matt. Leedam and Nat. Graynger for their wives doing the like each 12d.

John Benson for keeping geese and getting turves on the *More* having no right on the common 3s. 4d.

Paynes.

Ric. Shipton shall make a sufficient *wayne* way at his garth end before Martinmas 3s. 4d.

Geo. Jackson shall sufficiently hang his gates both backside and foreside within the same time 4d.

Also they continue all former *paynes*.

Chris. Etherington and Peter Gibb shall pay over the moneys they collected for the well at the east end of Acomb to the overseer 20s. 0d.

Fran. Armison shall avoid his grey mare which is *skabbed* out of the fields of Acomb within four days .. 20s. 0d.

Wm. Kaye shall avoid his swine out of the fields of Acomb before Candlemas next 10s. 0d.

Wm. Plewman on 5 April 1654 surrendered per Robt. Burdas and Robt. Scadlock an Owze Acre in the Milnefeild abutting on the street on S., upon the Ings on N., the lands of Jos. Lambe on W., and upon

Narrows on E., and one other acre called the two *Milne Styes* adjoining lands of Mr. Blyth on S., and land of Mr. Gowland on the N., now in the occupation of Wm. Plewman to the use of John Taylor of Morwicke provided that if Wm. Plewman pay to Peter Jebb all such sums of money as is due to him for his wife's portion and also save and keep harmless John Taylor of the church bond wherein he standeth bound with Wm. Plowman then this surrender to be void, whereon . . .

[This roll ends abruptly in mis-line as indicated. A fine of 20s. noted in the margin].

Court Leet and Court Baron of William Webb, esq., 2 May 1656 before Thomas Thomson, steward.

Homage. Robt. Burdus, Geo. Hudson, Robt. Scadlock, Wm. Burdus, Jos. Lamb, Matt. Thomson, Geo. Jackson, Thos. Harnis, Thos. Mealby, Robt. Walker, Ric. Shipton, Geo. Shaw, John Staineley.

Wm. Plowman on 16 Oct. 1654 surrendered per Hy. Penrose and Ric. Shipton 4 a. of land, in the Chappell Field, a Wrangland, $\frac{1}{2}$ a., the lands of Thos. Newarke on W. and of Thos. Blyth on E.; a Cutland, 1 r., lands of Thos. Harniss on S. and of Thos. Mealby on N.; a Garmire, $\frac{1}{2}$ r., land of Mr. Blyth on E. and of Geo. Bowland on W.; a Lammer Croft, $\frac{1}{2}$ r., lands of Mr. Newarke on W. and of Mr. Blyth on E.; on the Beck Bitts one broad head land and one narrow land, Geo. Hudson's Close end abutting on W. and lands of Geo. Bland on E., $1\frac{1}{2}$ r.; 3 Middle Barrells near Grintley Nooks, $1\frac{1}{2}$ r., land of Mr. Newarke on E. and the Lordship Meadows on W.; a headland in Grintland nooks, $\frac{1}{2}$ r., land of Mr. Newarke called Barrell Dicks on E.; and in the Lowfeild, an Oxcroft, $\frac{1}{2}$ r., land of Mr. Newarke on E. and of Mr. Blyth on W.; in the Farr Field, 3 Midforth lands, 3 r., one next land of Mr. Blyth on E. and of Mr. Newarke on W., another on the W. of land of Mr. Blyth and on the E. of Thos. Harnis's, the third betwixt lands of Mr. Blyth; 3 lands in the Flatt called *Little Halfe Acres*, one containing 1 r., land of Mr. Newarke on W. and of Mr. Blyth on E., another containing 1 r. also between lands of Mr. Newarke and Mr. Blyth, the third containing $1\frac{1}{2}$ r., land of Mr. Gowland on N.; on the Flatt called *Mellgates*, 1 land $\frac{1}{2}$ r., land of Mr. Newarke on W. and of Mr. Blyth on E.; on the Flatt called *Gooldy Bottomes* 1 land, 1 r., land of Mr. Newarke on W. and of Mr. Gowland on E., to the use of Adam Pickard of York, merchant. Fine 48s.

Ric. Shipton on 8 Oct. 1655 surrendered per Hy. Penrose of York, merchant, and Robt. Scadlock of Acomb 1 a. of land in the Wettlands, lands of Thos. Blyth on S. and of Geo. Gowland on N., in the Chappellfeild of Acomb to the use of Adam Pickard of York, merchant. Fine 12s.

**Court Leet and Court Baron of William Webb, esq., 21 Oct. 1656
before Thomas Thomson, steward.**

Homage. Robt. Burdis, Geo. Gowland, Jos. Lamb, Thos. Harnis, Matt. Thomson, Ric. Shipton, Geo. Jackson, Robt. Walker, Robt. Gibb, Geo. Shaw, Ralph Dewsburry, Wm. Burdis, Robt. Scadlock.

Wm. Plowman on 16 Sept. 1656 surrendered per Thos. Harnis and Ric. Shipton 1 r. of meadow in the Westing, next Mr. Newarke, and 1 Dale betwixt Thos. Blyth and Thos. Harnis in the same Ing to the use of Lawrence Williamson. Fine [unspecified].

Wm. Plewman and Mary Plewman surrendered per Robt. Burdis and Thos. Harnisse Henthorne Close in Acomb adjoining the field of Knapton with one gate in the way to Knapton on the North end to the use of Lawrence Williamson provided that Mary Plewman does well and truly consent and pay unto Lawrence Williamson the sum of their agreement. Fine [unspecified].

Wm. Plewman and Lawrence Williamson of York, carpenter, surrendered per Robt. Burdis and Thos. Harnisse 5 dales next Mr. Newarke in the Ings of Acomb and 1 Over Rice being 1 r., 1 Caregate and 1 Fallowgate to the use of Mary Plewman provided that if Mary Plewman make demand of the Henthorne Close then these parcels of meadow shall be returned to Lawrence Williamson upon their agreement. Fine [unspecified].

**Court Leet and Court Baron of William Webb, esq., 17 April 1657
before William Thomson, steward.**

Jurors. Edw. Lorrimer, Ambrose Hill, Thos. Garthwait, Wm. Goodricke, Robt. Goodricke, Jos. Lamb, John Charlton, Matt. Thomson, Wm. Plewman, Geo. Jackson, Ric. Shipton, Thos. Harnis, Jas. Wilson.

Wm. Plewman and John Taylor on 21 March 1655 surrendered per Geo. Gowland and Thos. Harnis 1 a. of arable land in the Milnefeild of Acomb commonly called *Owse Acre*, Mr. Blyth land on S. and Jos. Lamb on N., and 1 a. of arable in the same field called *Milne Styes*, Mr. Gowland's land on E. and Mr. Blyth on W., to the use of Robt. Scadlock of Acomb, the younger. Fine [unspecified].

Wm. Plewman on 17 April 1657 surrendered per Thos. Harnis and Ric. Shipton 1 barn with all the land before the street on the N., likewise one foot of ground without the *easing dropping*¹ towards the W. and in length, with the same breadth, to the first *bouke* or hedge so called with all easements as to turn a draught and bring in goods or the like in the gates with 2 Carr gates and 2 Field gates &c. to the use of Robt. Scadlock. Fine [unspecified].

Alice Mealby, daughter of Wm. Mealby, died since the last court seised of 4 a. and 3 r. of land, in the Far Field of Acomb, 1 long half a. betwixt Mr. Blyth and Mr. Pickard, 1 Medforth land, $\frac{1}{2}$ a., between Mr. Pickard and Edw. Lorrimer, 1 Melgate, 1 r., betwixt Mr.

¹ Eaves

Blyth and Mr. Pickard, 1 Scorbut, 1 r., betwixt Mr. Pickard and Geo. Hudson, in the Milne Field of Acomb, 1 Owsbenhowe, $\frac{1}{2}$ a., betwixt Mr. Blyth and Mr. Pickard, 1 Milne land, $\frac{1}{2}$ a., betwixt Mr. Pickard and Edw. Lorrimer, in the Milne Field, 2 Ousbenhowes, $\frac{1}{2}$ a., betwixt Mr. Blyth and Geo. Hudson, $\frac{1}{2}$ a. in the Applestubb betwixt Mr. Blyth and Wm. Mealby, in the Chappell Field in the Grountlanook $\frac{1}{2}$ r. betwixt Mr. Pickard and Mr. Blyth, $\frac{1}{2}$ r. more lying betwixt Mr. Blyth and Mr. Pickard, and that Wm. Mealby the younger, son of Wm. Mealby the elder, is her brother and next heir. Fine [unspecified].

Court Baron of William Webb 1 June 1657 before Thomas Thomson, steward.

Jurors. Hy. Penrose, Wm. Burdus, Robt. Scadlocke, Jos. Acomb, Thos. Harnis, Geo. Jackson, Matt. Wharton, Robt. Ray, Robt. Walker, Geo. Shaw, Ralph Dewsbury, John Stainley, Matt. Thomson.

[The remainder of this roll read by ultra-violet light.]

Eliz. Maskew of York, widow, and Robt. Maskew of March in the Isle of Ely in the county of Cambridge, haberdasher, and Alice, his wife, surrendered on 1 June 1657 per Hy. . . . [illegible] and Adam Pickard 1 messuage, 1 garth and 6 a. 3 r., viz., in the Folly Mill Field, 2 Long Lands, 1 a., between lands of Geo. Jackson and Wm. Burdux, 1 Crabtree Land, $\frac{1}{2}$ a., and 1 Stoele Butt, $\frac{1}{2}$ a.; in the How Field, 1 land in the Gravell Hole, $\frac{1}{2}$ a., 1 land in the Garebredths, 1 a., 1 land in the Neare How, 1 r., 1 land on top of the Farr How, 1 r., 1 land on the Sandy Lands, 1 r.; In the Low Field, 2 lands, 1 a., in the Intack, 1 land, 1 a., 1 land near the Horley [?] Well, 1 r., 1 land in the . . . [parchment defective] field, $\frac{1}{2}$ a., in the tenure of Robt. Troolupp [?], John Maxwell and Thos. Barkon, all in Holegate, to the use of Grace Driffeild of York, widow. Fine [unspecified].

Court Leet and Court Baron of William Webb 17 Oct. 1657 before Thomas Thomson, steward.

Homage. Thos. Shipton, Robt. Burdus, Geo. Gowland, Jos. Lambe, Wm. Mealby, Matt. Thomson, Geo. Jackson, John Bland, Wm. Coutericke, Wm. Burdis, Wm. Plowman, Thos. Harnis, Robt. Walker.

John Arthur on 11 Feb. 1656 surrendered per Robt. Walker and Thos. Harness $\frac{1}{2}$ a. of arable land in Holdgate Follemill field, called a *Crabtree*, between lands of Wm. Burdis and Ric. Stephenson to the use of Alice Arthur and Isabell Arthur, his daughters, after his decease. Fine [unspecified].

John Arthur on 11 Feb. 1656 surrendered per Robt. Walker and Thos. Harniss $\frac{1}{2}$ a. of land in Howlgate Follemill Field, called a *Roll Land* or *Follemill Land*, between lands of Robt. Burdis and Thos.

Earbe to the use of Elizabeth Arthur, his wife, during her lifetime and after her decease to his son, Edw. Arthur. Fine [unspecified].

**Court Leet and Court Baron of William Webb, esq., 28 April 1658
before Thomas Thomson, gent., steward.**

Homage. Wm. Burdus, Robt. Burdus, Thos. Mealby, Robt. Scadlocke, Thos. Harnis, Edw. Lorrimer, Thos. Young, Thos. Shipton, Geo. Sharpe, Jos. Lambe, Matt. Thomson, Wm. Mealby, Ralph Dewsbury.

Wm. Plowman on 17 April 1657 surrendered per Thos. Harnis and Ric. Shipton a messuage within the breadth of one foot of the *eave dropping* of the *barne* and until the first hedge from thence with all the breadth of the *Yead* &c. to the use of Robt. Scadlocke the elder, provided that if Wm. Plowman pay to Robt. Scadlocke £30 with lawful consideration on 29 Sept. next this surrender to be void. Fine [unspecified].

**Court Leet and Court Baron of William Webb, esq., 14 Oct. 1658
before Thomas Thomson, gent., steward.**

Homage. Hy. Penrose, Wm. Burdus, Geo. Jackson, Jos. Lamb, Matt. Thomson, Robt. Scadlocke, Edw. Lorrimer, Harry Topham, Thos. Hornby, Wm. Mealby, Geo. Shaw, Geo. Gilburne.

Thos. Newarke sometime of Acome on 30 May 1626 surrendered a capital messuage and 13 oxgangs of land, tenements and hereditaments in Acomb which were copyhold land and hereditaments to the use of himself for life and after to the use of Alice Garbert, widow, Katherine Fawkes, then wife of Michael Fawkes, and Mary Bateson, then wife of Bryan Bateson, during their lives and after to John Redman of Water Fulford, esq., for his life and after to Thos. Newarke, son of Hy. Newarke of Askam Bryan, his cousin, and the heirs male of his body, and for want of issue of him to the use of the heirs of Thos. Newarke of Acomb and we find that Thos. Newarke, the surrenderer, as also Alice Garbert, Kath. Fawkes, Mary Bateson and John Redman are all dead and that Thos. Newarke, late of Acomb, son of Hy. Newarke of Askham Bryan, did survive them and that he had issue Thos. Newarke, now of Acomb, and that he died before the last court seised of the premises and that Thos. Newarke, now of Acomb, is the issue male. Fine [unspecified].

John Calvert, late of Rufforth, held by copy of court roll 2 oxgangs of meadow in the West Ings of Holgate, 1 a. on the Longlands, 1 a. in the Threapleas in the Intacke and 4 beastgates in the Intacke and 2 oxgangs of meadow in the Intack, 4½ a. in the Clacroft Field of Holgate, 2 oxgangs of meadow in the Twenty Penny Ing and 4 beastgates in the same field and died seised thereof since the last court and that Peter Calvert of Rufforth is his eldest son and heir and is of the age of 30 yrs. Fine [unspecified].

Thos. Blythe of Askham Bryan, deceased, was in his lifetime seised of a messuage, a garth and croft, 2 barns, 1 cottage and orchard with common of pasture with 2 oxgangs of arable, meadow and pasture and 1 acre called a *Clifton Acre* in Acomb. He did in his lifetime, on 16 April 1658, surrender to the use of himself for life and after to the use of John Blythe, his son, and he was admitted accordingly and paid £20 fine and is since dead and that the said John Blythe is yet living.

Jonas Spacy, gent., who held 2 messuages and 4 oxgangs of land in the fields of Acomb and died seised thereof since the last court for ought we know to the contrary and Fran. Spacy is his eldest son and heir and is of the age of 27 yrs. Fine [unspecified].

Examined by T. Thomson, steward of the court.

Court Leet and Court Baron of William Webb 24 Feb. 1659 before Thomas Thomson, steward.

Homage. Robt. Burdus, Robt. Scadlock the younger, Wm. Burdus, John Blyth, Thos. Mealby, Wm. Goodricke, Robt. Goodricke, Robt. Wray, Geo. Jackson, Wm. Mealby, Thos. Gowland, Matt. Plowman, Ric. Shipton.

Robt. Manners surrendered per the steward $\frac{1}{2}$ a. of land in Colcroft in Holgate Lowfield and $\frac{1}{2}$ a. in Follymill Field in Holgate to the use of Mary Driffield, daughter of Grace Driffield of York, widow. Fine [unspecified].

Margaret Wrangham, widow of Robt. Wrangham, John Goldsbrough and Abigaell, his wife, Wm. Dawson and Margaret, his wife, Mary Wrangham, spinster, Leo. Thackwray and Ann, his wife, four daughters and co-heirs of Robt. Wrangham and Margaret Wrangham surrendered per Thos. Harnis and Ric. Shipton a cottage and croft &c. next the churchyard in Acomb, now in the occupation of Margaret Wrangham, to the use of Frances Darcy of York, widow, and Kath. Leakland, wife of Hugh Leakland, clerk. Fine [unspecified].

Fran. Spacy of Downham in the Isle of Ely in the county of Cambridge, gent., on 19 Oct. 1658 surrendered per Adam Pickard and Hy. Penrose his 2 messuages with barns, garths &c. and common of pasture and 4 oxgangs of arable, meadow and pasture land in Acomb, now in the occupation of Adam Pickard of York, merchant, to the use of Wm. Nicholls of York, gent. Fine [unspecified].

Thos. Blyth of Askham Bryan on 20 Aug. 1658 surrendered per Adam Pickard and Thos. Mealby one cottage house or tenement called *Powten House* with a garth and 7 roods of arable land in the Milne Field, $\frac{1}{2}$ a. called a *Husbandhow* in the Beckfield, $\frac{1}{2}$ a. called a *Colthalf Acre* in the Farr Field and 1 r. called a *Melgate* and $\frac{1}{2}$ a. called a *Middfurland* in Acomb, now in the occupation of Jeffrey Robinson or Thos. Blyth to the use of Hy. Blyth of Ascombe Bryan. Fine [unspecified].

Geo. Hudson, gent., Ric. Banks, gent., and Alice, his wife, surrendered per John Peighen, gent., and Robt. Walker 2 messuages with outhouses &c. where Geo. Hudson now lives together with all other houses, garths &c. and $4\frac{1}{2}$ oxgangs of land &c. in Acomb to the use of Mary Robinson, Anne Robinson, Fran. Robinson and Thos. Robinson. Fine [unspecified].

Mary Manners died since the last court seised of $\frac{1}{2}$ acre of land in Coulcroft in Holgate Lowfield and $\frac{1}{2}$ a. in Follymill Field in Holgate and Robert Manners is her next heir. Fine [unspecified].

*SURRENDER. 5th MCH. 1660.

John Deighton of York, merchant, on 5 Jan. 1660 surrendered per Robt. Walker and Thos. Scadlock 6 a. of land in Houlgate with appurtenances and also a close in Houlgate Field called *Coulcroft* abutting above Pallester Garth and a *Cowtaine piece of middow* between the close gate and the king's *streete* with appurtenances, now in the tenure of Matt. Wharton of Acomb to the use of Thos. Deighton.

[Signed] John Deighton. *

*EXTRACT OF COURT ROLL. 26 APRIL 1660.

Wm. Williamson and Mary, his wife, and John Adcock and Elizabeth, his wife, surrendered per Wm. Goodricke and Robt. Goodricke a cottage house and appurtenances in Clifton and $\frac{1}{2}$ a. of arable land and 1 other $\frac{1}{2}$ a. next the Double Dyke to the use of Metcalfe Robinson, esq. *

*EXTRACT OF COURT ROLL. 21 OCT. 1660.

Thos. Mealby, late of Copmanthorpe, died seised of a cottage in Acomb with appurtenances and 1 a. in the Golderskarf in the Chappell Field and 2 a. in the Ladypitt and 1 cottage and $\frac{3}{4}$ a. in Holgate Fields and Thos. Mealby is his son and heir. *

*EXTRACT OF COURT ROLL. 29 NOV. 1660.

Mary Richmond the elder and Mary Richmond the younger of Acombe surrendered per Ric. Shipton and Robt. Walker one half messuage in Acombe, now in their occupation, to the use of Wm. Hinchcliffe and Grace, his wife, provided that if Wm. Hinchcliffe pay Mary Richmond the younger, on her attaining 21 yrs., the sum of £10 this surrender to be void. [Sic]. *

CALL ROLL AT COURT HELD 7 MAY 1661.

FREEHOLDERS. Thos. Newarke, gent., Jo. Bowcock, clerk, Robt. Scadlocke, Robt. Burdeux, Anne Mealby, widow, Ric. Banckes & Jane, his wife, Matt. Thomson. CUSTOMARY TENANTS. Thos. Newarke, gent., John Blyth, [blank] Robinson, widow, Eliz. Coates, widow, Wm. Mealby, Robt. Burdeux, Adam Pickard, Hy. Penrose, Thos. Hill, Wm. Burdeux, Geo. Shaw, Jane Topham, widow, Ric. Shipton, Ann Mealby, widow, Jos. Lamb, Edw. Lorriman, Thos. Harnis, John Bland, Thos. Mealby, Thos. Scott, Jas. Wilson, elder [*deleted*], Kath. Thresh. TENANTS ATT WILL & RESIDANTS. Geo. Gilburne, Matt. Wharton, Frances Darcy, widow, Ric. Millner, Ralph Dowsbury, Geo. Shaw, Ellen

Walker, widow, dead, Robt. Ray, Elizabeth Mosley, dead, Alice Chapman, widow, Robt. Burdeux, Mary Beckwith [*deleted*], Wm. Peckett [*interlineated*], John Stanley, Priscilla Rodes, Jane Wharleton, Chris. Etherington, Jos. Lamb, Rachell Wilkinson, widow, Ric. Shipton, Thos. Scadlock, Lawr. Williamson, Thos. Mealby [*deleted*], Thos. Ellison of Askam, Thos. Garthwaite. COPPYHOLDERS IN HOLGATE. Robt. Scadlock, Jane Hill, spinster, Matt. Thomson, Thos. Deighton, [*deleted*], Eliz. Wray, widow, dead, Robt. Burdeux, Thos. Mealby [*deleted*], Isabell Arthur, Kath. French, Jas. Wilson, Peter Calvert, Wm. Burdeux, John Peighen, gent., Grace Driffield, widow, Hy. Topham, Eliz. Masken, Thos. Palliser. COPPYHOLDERS IN CLIFTON. Sir Metcalfe Robinson, bart., Wm. Goodricke, Robt. Goodricke, Jo. Lambe, gent., Mary & Eliz. Wilson [*deleted*], Geo. Gleadston, Thos. Wells by his tutor. FREEHOLDER IN SKELTON. Thos. Lovell, esq. WIGGINGTON FREEHOLDERS. Wm. Weddell [*deleted*], Robt. Hall, clerk. TENANTS & RESIDANTS IN HOLGATE. Matt. Thomson, Thos. Mealby [*deleted*], Thos. Pallister [*deleted*]. THE JURY. John Blyth, Jos. Lamb, Thos. Hill, Thos. Harnis, John Topham, Matt. Shipton, [blank] Jackson, Hy. Scadlock, Matt. Thomson, Wm. Mealby, Chris. Etherington, Ric. Walker, Ric. Shipton.

CALL ROLL AT THE COURT HELD 19 JULY 1661.

FREEHOLDERS. Thos. Newarke, Jo. Bowcock, clerk, Robt. Scadlock, Robt. Burdeux, Anna Mealby, widow, Ric. Bankes & his wife, Matt. Thomson. CUSTOMARY TENANTS. Thos. Newarke, John Blyth, Maria Robinson, Eliz. Coates, Wm. Mealby, Robt. Burdeux, Geo. Shaw [*deleted*], Jane Topham, Ric. Shipton, Anna Mealby, Jos. Lambe, Edw. Lorrimer, Thos. Harnis, John Bland, Thos. Scott, Kath. Thresh. TENANTS ATT WILL AND RESIDANTS. Geo. Gilburne, Matt. Wharton, Frances Darcy, Ric. Milnes, Ralph Dewsbury, Geo. Shaw, Robt. Ray, Alice Chapman, Robt. Burdeux, Wm. Peckett, John Stanley, Priscilla Rodes, Jane Wharleton, Chris. Etherington, Jos. Lambe, Rachell Wilkinson, Ric. Shipton, Thos. Scadlock, Lawr. Willinson, Thos. Ellison de Askam, Thos. Garyhwaite. COPPYHOLDERS IN HOLGATE. Robt. Scadlock, Jane Hill, spinster, Matt. Thomson, Robt. Burdeaux, Isabell Arthur, Kath. French, James Wilson, Peter Calvert, Wm. Burdeaux, John Peighon, Grace Driffield, Hy. Topham, Eliz. Maskon, Thos. Pallister. COPPYHOLDERS IN CLIFTON. Metcalfe Robinson, bart., Wm. Goodricke, Robt. Goodricke, Jo: Lambe, Geo. Gleadston, Jo: Goodricke, Thos. Wells. FREEHOLDERS IN SKELTON. Thos. Lovell. WIGGINGTON FREEHOLDERS. Robt. Hall, clerk. TENANTS & RESIDANTS IN HOLGATE. Matt. Thomson, John Benson. JURY. Robt. Burdeaux, Wm. Burdeaux, Thos. Harnis, Edw. Lorrimer, Wm. Mealby, Ric. Milner, Matt. Thomson, Jo: Blythe, Geo. Shaw, Ric. Walker, Geo. Thresh, Thos. Gowland, Ric. Shipton.

All fynes assessed upon surrenders to bee paid att or before the 29 Sept. 1661 or els they are to forfeit their Copyholds.

EXTRACT OF COURT ROLL. 3 SEPT. [16]61.

Brian Gowland died seised of a messuage, two cottages and 2 oxgangs of land in Acomb and Thos. Gowland is his eldest brother and next heir.

Sir Wm. Robinson, bart., died seised of 2 cottages, 20 a. of arable in Clifton and $\frac{1}{2}$ a. in the Fettees, 1 Close containyng 1 r. leading by the Hall place late Sandwith lands, 1 a. in the Tofts, 1 r. in the long Wandleys, another rood in the short Wandleys in Clifton and of 3 r. called Marshall Butts, 1 r. between the wayes near the Cross in Clifton and 1 a. of meadow in Acomb Ings called a *Clifton Acre* and Sir Metcalfe Robinson, bart., is his son and next heir.

Sir Jo: Kay, bart., and Jo: Kay, esq., his son, surrendered one third part of all those messuages and appurtenances and 4 oxgangs of land in Acomb in John Blythes occupation to the use of Hy. Blythe.

Mary Richmond elder and Mary Richmond younger surrendered a half messuage in Acomb to the use of Mary the elder for life and after to several uses as in the surrender expressed.

Peter Calvert surrendered 6 a. and 2 r. of land and 6 oxgangs of meadow in Holgate to the use of Jane Topham and Hy. Topham.

John Lambert of Strensall surrendered to Sir Metcalfe Robinson a cottage or tenement in Clifton with appurtenances.

PRESENTMENTS.

Everyone that neither appears nor *soynes* this Court 4d.

Wm. Bradley of Holgate and Elizabeth, his wife, as abbetters to theft and receivers of stolen goods .. 39s. 11d.

Chris. Etherington for not repairing his side fence that abuts upon the *gaile* lane 1s. 0d.

Thos. Hall for suffering Jane, his wife, to brake the pound fold 1s. 0d.

Wm. Foster for affronting the pinder and taking geese from him that he was abringing to the pound fold .. 1s. 0d.

JURY. Hy. Penrose, John Blythe, Robt. Scadlocke, Wm. Burdis, Wm. Fearby, Ric. Leppington, John Scansa [?], Wm. Gowthwaick, Robt. Goodrick, Robt. Walker, Jos. Lambe, Thos. Harnis.

*EXTRACT OF COURT ROLL OF HENRY NEWARKE 30 SEPT. 1661. THOMAS THOMSON, STEWARD.

FREEHOLDERS. Thos. Newarke, John Bowcocke, clerk, Robt. Scadlock, Robt. Burdus, Anna Mealby, Matt. Thomson, Ric. Banckes. FREEHOLDERS IN SKELTON. Thos. Lovell. WIGGINGTON. Wm. Weddell, Robt. Hall, clerk. COPPYHOLDERS. Thos. Newarke, John Blyth, Maria Robinson, widow, Eliz. Coates, widow, Wm. Mealby, Robt. Burdus, Adam Pickard, Hy. Penrose, Thos. Hill, Wm. Burdus, Geo. Shaw, Jane Topham, Ric. Shipton, Anna Mealby, widow, Jos. Lambe, Thos. Cartwright, Thos. Ellison, dead, Edw. Lorrimer, dead, Thos. Harnis, John Bland, Thos. Mealby, Jas. Wilson, Robt. Walker [*interlineated*], Kath. Thresh, Thos. Scadlock, Lawrence Williamson. HOLGATE. Robt.

Scadlocke, Jane Hill, Matt. Thomson, Eliz. Nary, Robt. Burdus, Isabella Arthur, Kath. French, Jas. Wilson, Peter Calvert, gent., Wm. Burdus, Tho: Peighen, clerk, Grace Driffield, Hy. Topham, Eliz. Maston, Thos. Palliser, Tho: Gowland. CLIFTON. Sir Metcalfe Robinson, bart., Wm. Goodricke, Robt. Goodricke, John Lambert, Maria Wilson, Eliz. Wilson, Geo. Gleadston, John Goodricke, Thos. Wells & Tutor. RESIDANTS & TENANTS AT WILL. Geo. Gilburne, Matt. Wharton, Frances Darcy, widow, Ric. Milner, Rad. Dewsbury, Ric. Leppington, . . . Walker, dead, Robt. Kay, Eliz. Moseley, dead, Ric. Tilburne, Alice Chapman, widow, Maria Beckwith [*deleted*], Wm. Peckett, John Stainley, Priscilla Roades, Jane Wharton, Chris. Etherington, Jos. Lambe, Rachell Wilkinson.

JURY. Hy. Penrose, Jo: Blythe, Robt. Scadlocke, Wm. Burdus, Jos. Lambe, Wm. Goodricke, Robt. Goodricke, Robt. Walker, Matt. Wharton, John Stainley, Tho: Harnis, Ric. Leppington, Wm. Fearby.

Ric. Shipton complained of Jane Topham in a plea of land . . . concerning his ancestors viz., of Ric. Shipton, his grandfather, and also Ric., his father, and Eliz. Shipton, his sister, to whom the said Ric. was heir.

No wrong, no disseisin.

Plaintiff claimed part of a rood of meadow called *a Whoe* in the West field. Robt. Snander [*? Saunder*] sworn as witness.

They are ignorant of the plaintiff's title and therefore demur of verdict.

Robt. Burdus complained of Thos. Hill on a plea of debt for 2s. 6d. per annum owed for several lands in Acomb for 13 yrs. Defendant denied the debt. The jury finds for Robt. Burdus and the defendant to pay him only 7s. 6d.

Ric. Shipton elected constable for one year from 29 Sept. last.

Thos. Ellison was seised of a cottage in Acomb and died since the last court. Geo. Ellison is his eldest son and next heir.

Found.

*[in English]

View of Frankpledge with Court Baron of Henry Newarke, gent., 6 May 15 Charles II [1663] before Thomas Thomson, gent., steward.

Homage. Wm. Burdus, Jos. Lamb, Hy. Topham, Matt. Thomson, Ric. Millnes, Ralph Dewsbury, Robt. Walker, Geo. Shawe, John Staineley, Ric. Leppington, Matt. Leadome, John Blythe, Ric. Shipton.

John Nicholls, gent., on 6 Feb. 1662-3 surrendered per Chris. Etherington and Robt. Walker a messuage, barn, 2 gardens and 4 oxgangs of land in Acomb in the tenure of Adam Pickard, gent., to the use of Chris. Taylor of York, innholder. Fine [unspecified].

Thos. Gowland of Hunburton surrendered on 26 March 1663 per Robt. Scadlocke and Thos. Scadlocke a cottage and barn with

common pasture in Acombe in the tenure of Wm. Tinslay to the use of Ralph Dewsberry and Margaret Dewsbery, his daughter. Fine [unspecified].

View of Frankpledge with Court Baron of Henry Newarke, gent., 14 Oct. 15 Charles II [1663] before Thomas Thomson, gent., steward.

Homage. Geo. Craw, Thos. Harnis, Thos. Gowland of Hunburton, Wm. Gowland, Thos. Scadlocke, Geo. Thresh, Robt. Gowland, Robt. Goothricke, Geo. Gilburne, Hy. Blythe, Wm. Tyldesley, Ric. Mylnes, John Blythe.

Thos. Newarke, gent., surrendered on 20 June 1663 per Wm. Burdus and Thos. Harnis a cottage and a Cargate in Acomb, lately in the tenure of Robt. Harryson, to the use of Jas. Abbey and Margaret, his wife. Fine [unspecified].

On 18 June . . . [parchment defective] Thos. Newarke, gent., surrendered per John Blythe and Wm. Mealbie a cottage, garden and 2 Cargates in Acombe in the tenure of Jas. Abbey to the use of Alice Boulton and Leo. Crosby. Fine [unspecified].

View of Frankpledge and Court Baron of Henry Newarke, gent., 11 April 16 Charles II [1664] before Thomas Thomson, gent., steward.

Homage. Wm. Burdus, Wm. Mealby, Ric. Milnes, Thos. Hill, Jos. Lambe, Robt. Scadlock, Matt. Thomson, Matt. Leadome, Ralph Dewsbury, Hy. Topham, Ric. Leppington, Ric. Shipton, Thos. Harnis.

Thos. Newarke, gent., surrendered on 3 Mar. 1663-4 per Jos. Lambe and John Blyth a close called a *Hanging Cliff*, 8 a. called *Owseacres*, 4 half a. called *Odd Mars*, all the arable land called *Lamycrofts* and a Milnsty containing $\frac{1}{2}$ a., all in Acomb and in the tenure of Thos. Newarke to the use of Hy. Lee, snr., miller, and Wm. Hey. Fine [unspecified]. Proviso [in English], if Thos. Newarke pay Hy. Lee and Wm. Hey £277 10s. within 7 yrs. at the house of Hy. Lee and the interest at 6% for the same every half year viz. £8 5s. on 3 Sep. and the same on 3 March this surrender to be void.

Thos. Gowland surrendered on 17 Aug. 1663 per Chris. Etherington and Robt. Walker an oxgang of land in Acomb in the tenure of Adam Pickard to the use of Chris. Tayler. Fine [unspecified].

Court Baron of Henry Newarke, gent., 9 May 16 Charles II [1664] before Thomas Thomson, steward.

Homage. John Blyth, Geo. Craw, Wm. Gowland, Robt. Walker, Wm. Hinscliff, John Stainley, Wm. Tyldesley, Wm. Peckett, Geo. Thresh, Matt. Wharton, Geo. Shawe, Jas. Abbey, Chris. Etherington.

Robt. Gowland and Frances, his wife, and Wm. Gowland surrendered on 18 Dec. . . . [?] per Chris. Etherington and Wm. Mealby 2 oxgangs of land in the several fields of Acomb viz. in the Chappell Field, 2 Gormyers, 1 r.; a Gelderscarr, $\frac{1}{2}$ a.; 2 Loskers, $\frac{1}{2}$ a.; a Losker Calfe, $\frac{1}{2}$ r.; a Barraley Dyke, $\frac{1}{2}$ r.; a Weetland, 1 r.; a Bushell Hill End, $\frac{1}{2}$ r.; a piece behind the Skewbalk, $\frac{1}{2}$ r.; a Whoe, $\frac{1}{2}$ r.; 2 Lamba Crofts, $\frac{1}{2}$ r. in Hobb Moore Field, a piece abutting Yorke Moore, $\frac{1}{2}$ r.; a Hungry Nooke, $\frac{1}{2}$ r., a Blakbitt, $\frac{1}{2}$ a.; another, 1 r. in the Lowfield, 2 Moore lands, 2 a.; a Headland near Holgate Field, 1 r.; an Oxcroft, 1 r.; and a Dowdell Bitt, $\frac{1}{2}$ r.; in the Milne Field, 3 Kirkroods, 3 r.; land on Longland Ends, $\frac{1}{2}$ a.; another piece, $\frac{1}{2}$ r.; a Pellet Raine beyond the wind mill, 1 r.; a Bittle Milne Syke, $\frac{1}{2}$ r.; land on Husband Howes, $\frac{1}{2}$ a.; land on Milne Styes, 1 r.; a piece near Pinder Ing, $\frac{1}{2}$ r.; in the Ings, 3 Overises, $1\frac{1}{2}$ a.; in the Far Field, a Hanging Cliff, $\frac{1}{2}$ a.; 3 Little Halfe Acres, $1\frac{1}{2}$ a.; a Melle Gate, 1 r.; 2 Pynes, 1 a.; a Scorebutt, $\frac{1}{2}$ a.; another, 1 r.; land in Leistone Briggs, $\frac{1}{2}$ r.; a Gouldy Bottom, 1 r.; another, $\frac{1}{2}$ r.; 2 Long Halfe Acres, one containing $\frac{1}{2}$ a. the other 1 r.; in the Beckfield, 2 Broads on the Long Roods, 1 a.; a Narrow, 1 r.; a Colthalfe Acre, $\frac{1}{2}$ a.; a Skoole Breed, $\frac{1}{2}$ r.; a Foulefurr, 1 r.; a Henthorne, 1 r.; with all the Carrgates and Fallowgates to the use of Jos. Lambe, snr., and Eliz. his wife, for life remainder to Jos. Lambe, jnr., remainder to Margaret Lambe, Mary Lambe and Kath. Lambe, daughters of Jos. Lamb, snr. [Marginal note] Fine £18 for Jos. Lambe the elder and Jos. Lambe the younger only.

View of Frankpledge with Court Baron of Henry Newarke, gent., 11 April 16 Charles II [1664] before Thomas Thomson, gent., steward.

Homage. Wm. Burdus, Wm. Mealby, Ric. Millnes, Thos. Hill, Jos. Lambe, Robt. Scadlock, Matt. Thomson, Matt. Leadome, Ralph Dewsbury, Hy. Topham, Ric. Leppington, Ric. Shipton, Thos. Harnis.

Robt. Burdus died seised of a Hanging Cliff, $\frac{1}{2}$ a.; a Colt Halfe Acre, $\frac{1}{2}$ a.; 1 a. in the Intack; which lands are in Acomb and Holgate and are held by copy of court roll. Anne Craw, wife of Geo. Craw, is the daughter and nearest heir of Robt. Burdus. Fine 40s.

A piece of land called *Owse Acre* in the Milne Feild, a Losker, $\frac{1}{2}$ a., an Appletreestubb, $\frac{1}{2}$ a., a Losker Calf, 1 r., 1 r. on Hobmoore and a Gould Bottom in the manor of Acomb, held by copy of court roll, ought to pay rent and service to the lord. They were in the possession of Eliz. Robinson, widow, or Ric. Milnes her tenant.

[Subscribed] Examined by T. Thomson, court steward.

View of Frankpledge with Court Baron of Richard Blanshard, gent., farmer of Lord Richard [Sterne], archbishop of York, Friday 30 Sept. 16 Charles II [1664].

Homage. Wm. Burdus, Thos. Harnish, Jos. Lambe, Thos. Hill, Wm. Gowland, Hy. Blyth, Wm. Goothricke, Robt. Goothricke,

Matt. Tomson, Ric. Leppington, Wm. Mealby, Robt. Gowland, Ric. Shipton.

Thos. Hill of Acome, yeoman, surrendered per Robt. Walker and Hy. Topham a messuage, 2 barns, a fold *yard*, an adjoining toft and 2 oxgangs of land in Acome, in his tenure, to the use of himself for life, remainder to Anne, his wife, for life, remainder to the heirs of their bodies, remainder to the heirs of Thos. Hill. [Marginal note] Half the fine for life of Anne, £12 1s.

Court Baron of Richard Blanshard, gent., 26 Oct. 18 Charles II [1666] before Peter Bradley, gent., steward.

Homage. John Blythe, gent., John Staineley, Matt. Thompson, Thos. Hill, Robt. Gowland, Geo. Jackson, Thos. Harnis, Robt. Gothericke, Wm. Gothericke, Wm. Tilseley, Chris. Etherington, Jos. Lambe, Jas. Abbay.

Thos. Newarke, gent., surrendered on 16 Oct. 1666 per Thos. Harnis and Wm. Gowland a close of meadow in Acombe called *Longpound Lowe Close* containing 6 a. and several parcels of arable land, meadow and pasture in Acombe viz. in the Chappell Feild, 2 Whoses, $1\frac{1}{2}$ r.; 2 Broad and 1 Narrow and 1 Bishley Hill Side, $2\frac{1}{2}$ r.; 2 more at Shawe Balke Syde, $1\frac{1}{2}$ r.; 2 Goremyers, 1 r.; 2 Barraley Dykes, $1\frac{1}{2}$ r.; 5 Broad and 2 Narrow Loscarrs near Knapton, 3 a.; 1 Broad Gilder Scarr, 2 r.; 1 Loscar Close, $\frac{1}{2}$ r.; in the Milne Feild, 5 Longland Ends, $2\frac{1}{2}$ r.; 4 Longland Ends Narrowes with a Headland, 1 a.; 3 Broad Lodge Leaes, 3 r.; 2 *Lodgleas sidewaies*, 1 r.; 2 Broad Longlands at Carr Nooke, 3 r.; 1 Narrow Dowdale Bitt, $\frac{1}{2}$ r.; in the Beckfeild, 9 Broad Marrs, $4\frac{1}{2}$ a.; in the Lowefeild, 2 half r. and 2 r. called *Holgate Roodes*, 3 r.; in the Hobb Moore, 3 Broad Moore Lands, $1\frac{1}{2}$ a.; 2 Broads and a Narrow in Yorke Moore, 1 a. 1 r.; 1 Hungry Bitt, 1 r.; 1 Headland, 2 r.; 1 Blotting, 2 r.; in the Farr Field, 6 Gaudy Bottomes, 1 r.; and 5 Broad Marr Milne Doores, $2\frac{1}{2}$ a.; to the use of Susan Newarke, snr., of Acomb, widow. Proviso, if Thos. Newarke pay her £200 with consideration on 1 Jan. 1667-8 in the porch of Acombe Church, this surrender to be void. Fine 40s.

On 16 Oct. 1666 Thos. Newarke, gent., surrendered per Thos. Harnis and Wm. Gowland a capital messuage in Acomb in his tenure to the use of Hy. Newarke of Acomb, his brother. Proviso that if Thos. Newarke pay Hy. Newarke £100 on or before 3 Mch. 1671-2 at the church porch in Acomb and meanwhile pay him interest on the £100 half yearly this surrender to be void. Fine £12.

Court Baron of Richard Blanshard, gent., Friday 1 Feb. 18 Charles II [sic 1666] before Peter Bradley, steward.

[The date should be 19 Charles II, 1667 when 1 Feb. was a Friday; Charles II's regnal year began on 30 Jan. A note on the dorse gives the dates of the roll as 18 and 19 Charles II.]

Homage. Robt. Scadlocke, Wm. Gowland, Geo. Crowe, Jos. Lambe, Thos. Harnis, Robt. Walker, Ric. Shipton, Wm. Peckett, Chris. Etherington, Ralph Duesberry, Geo. Shawe, Wm. Tilusley, Fran. Leedall.

Hy. Penrose of York, merchant, on 31 Jan. 1666-7 surrendered per Thos. Hill and Matt. Wharton a cottage, in English a *frontstead*, and 2 oxgangs of land in Acomb to the use of Geo. Earby of Acaster Malbis, batchelor, and his heirs, remainder to Wm. Burdus of Acomb. Fine £5 10s.

Hy. Topham of Acombe on 3 Nov. 1666 surrendered per Hy. Penrose of York, merchant, and Geo. Crowe of Acomb, yeoman, 1 a. of land called a *Headland* on the Colcrofts in the Howfeild on Holgate to the use of Wm. Topham, his brother.

***EXTRACT OF COURT ROLL, dated 10 FEB. 1667.**

Robt. Wilkinson surrendered per Robt. Walker and Thos. Harnis 1 a. of arable land, to wit $\frac{1}{2}$ a. in Houlgate Lowfield, 1 r. in the Folliemill Field and 1 r. in the West Field of Acomb to the use of Ric. Wilkinson. Memorandum that this surrender of 1 a. of land is in lieu of £10 which Robt. Wilkinson was to pay to Ric. Wilkinson, his brother. *[in English]

View of Frankpledge with Court Baron of Richard Blanshard, gent., 15 April 19 Charles II [1667] before Peter Bradley, steward.

Homage. Wm. Burdus, Wm. Mealby, Jos. Lambe, Robt. Gowland, Thos. Gowland, Robt. Scadlocke, Math. Thompson, Wm. Topham, Fran. Leedall, Ric. Milles, Edw. Lorrigan, John Bland, Geo. Thresh.

Presentments.

Matt. Thompson, Edw. Osborne, clerk, Thos. Lovell, esq., Wm. Weddell, esq., Robt. Hall, clerk, Thos. Newarke, gent., John Blyth, Adam Pickard, Geo. Jackson, Lawrence Williamson, Robt. Scadlocke, Wm. Clarke, Jas. Wilson, Jas. Pallister, Metcalfe Robinson, bt., Geo. Gleadston and Wm. Burdus for not attending this court	each	4d.
Margaret Bentley, widow, for her fences in the Hur Croft being defective at the common and corn field ..	3s.	4d.
Wm. Pickard of Dringhouses for his fences in the Moore Close being defective	3s.	4d.
Chris. Waide for not scouring his water-course in Holgate Ings	1s.	0d.
Jane Lound because her son broke the fences of inhabitants and cut <i>whinnes</i> in the Skew on Acomb Moor	6s.	8d.
Geo. Crowe because he allowed his cattle to pasture in Acombe cornfield	1s.	0d.
Ralph Duesberry, Chris. Waid and Wm. Smith for the like	each	1s. 0d.
Total £1		4s. 0d.

Alice Joy of Askham Bryan died since the last court seised of 1 r. of land in Holgate Follemeill Feild and Robt. Joy is her son and nearest heir and is 6 yrs. of age. Fine 6s. 8d.

Chas. French, *singleman*, and Kath. French, widow, on 1 April 1667 surrendered 4 dales of meadow in the Runing Syke, now enclosed with the Howcloses, to the use of Wm. Longe, gent., without paying any rent to the lord. Fine [unspecified].

***EXTRACT OF COURT ROLL dated 23 JULY 1667.**

Jas. Pallister surrendered per Wm. Topham and Geo. Crow a Frontstead in Holgate and 2 oxgangs of land with appurtenances, now in the occupation of Hy. Lee, to the use of Jonas Pallister of Birthwaite. The condition being that if Jas. Pallister be alive on 29 November next and at the church porch of Ripley renders 5s. to Jonas Pallister this surrender to be void. [See Court held 30 Sept. 1667 – below.]

*[in English]

View of Frankpledge with Court Baron of Richard Blanshard, gent., 30 Sept. 19 Charles II, 1667, before Francis Elliott, steward.

Jurors. John Blythe, Robt. Scadlocke, Geo. Crow, Wm. Mealby, Wm. Topham, Ric. Mills, Wm. Gowland, Thos. Harnis, Wm. Foster, Leo. Crosby, Thos. Scadlocke, Thos. Hill, Robt. Walker.

Presentments.

Wm. Pickard of Dringhouses for his Moore Close fence lying down at the common	20s.	0d.
Wm. Sargison for breaking the pinfold at Holgate ..	3s.	4d.
Anne Williamson for her livestock trespassing in Holgate Inggs	2s.	6d.
John Chapman of York, tanner, for <i>a fold breach</i> at Holgate	3s.	4d.
Wm. Pickard of Dringhouses for coming onto Holgate Moor and leaving the gate open several times ..	10s.	0d.
Marian Howdell of Holgate for her horses grazing in the Inggs and Howfeild		6d.
Chris. Taylor of York for his pigs not all (<i>minime</i>) being ringed in the How Closes		12d.
Total		£2 0s. 8d.

On 23 July 1667 Jas. Pallister of Birthwayte surrendered per Wm. Topham and Geo. Crow a frontstead in Holgate and 2 oxgangs of land in the tenure of Hy. Lee and Geo. Crow to the use of Jonas Pallister of Birthwaite. Fine £20.

[See extract of court roll, 23 July 1667 – above.]

View of Frankpledge with Court Baron of Richard Blanshard, gent., 27 March 20 Charles II [1668], befote Francis Elliott, steward.

Jurors. Wm. Burdas, gent., Matt. Thompson, Wm. Gowland, Wm. Tylsley, Jos. Lamb, Geo. Shawe, Wm. Mealby, Thos. Hill, Chris. Etherington, Robt. Scadlocke, Wm. Hinchcliffe, Ralph Dewesbury, Ric. Leppington.

Jonas Pallister sworn in as tenant.

John Boomebrough and Ric. Shipton sworn as swine ringers and fence viewers.

Nathan Grainger sworn as pinder.

Presentments.

Wm. Dodgeson of York, tailor, for his horses grazing in the fields of Hologate at Michaelmas last	6s.	8d.
Robt. Wyvell for his boys breaking hedges and taking whins		4d.
Jane Lownd for the like offence	2s.	0d.
Thos. Howddell of Hologate for his horses grazing in the fields		12d.
Geo. Crowe for the like offence		12d.
Wm. Dodgeson of York, tailor, for his horses grazing in Acomb fields	10s.	0d.
Total 21s.		

John Bland surrendered on 24 May 1667 per Robt. Walker and Ric. Shipton 3 Loskers containing $\frac{1}{2}$ a., next the White Balke Close, to the use of Wm. Mealby. Fine [unspecified].

Wm. Mealby surrendered on 24 May 1667 per Robt. Walker and Ric. Shipton the Allonge Land containing $\frac{1}{2}$ a., between lands of Chris. Taylor, gent., and Edw. Lorrimer, to the use of John Bland. Fine [unspecified].

Robt. Wilkinson surrendered on 10 Feb. 1667 per Robt. Walker and Thos. Harnis 1 a. of land viz. $\frac{1}{2}$ a. in Holgate Low Feild on S. of Geo. Crow and on N. of Wm. Clarke; 1 r. at the far end of Kath. Francke's land in the Follie Mill Feild, on E. of Thos. Earby and W. of Wm. Clarke; and 1 r. in the West Feild of Acomb on the Assey Lands, on W. of Wm. Burdas and E. of Thos. Mealby to the use of Ric. Wilkinson. Fine 18s.

Edw. Robinson, esq., surrendered on 18 Jan. 1667-8 per Thos. Hill and Geo. Shawe 2 messuages, 2 cottages and $4\frac{1}{2}$ oxgangs of land, in the occupation of Ric. Milnes, to be held by Ric. Blanshard.

Hy. Newarke on 17 March 1667-8 surrendered per Wm. Clarke and Lawrence Williamson a capital messuage in Acomb, in the tenure of Thos. Newarke, gent., his brother, to the use of Susan Newarke, widow, his mother. Fine 20s.

View of Frankpledge with Court Baron of Richard Blanshard, gent., 14 Oct. 20 Charles II, 1668, before Francis Elliott, steward.

Homage. Thos. Hill, Wm. Mealby, *afferor*, Robt. Scadlocke, Thos. Harnis, Ric. Leppington, Thos. Scadlocke, Geo. Shawe, John Blythe, Matt. Thompson, Robt. Gowland, John Staineley, Wm. Hinchcliffe, Robt. Walker, *affeeror*.

Wm. Gowland sworn as constable.

Wm. Kent sworn as tenant of the manor.

Presentments.

John Vary because his swine were not all ringed ..	8d.
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Thos. Maskue for the like offence	2d.
Thos. Maskue for allowing his hay to stand in the street	4d.
Saml. Daniell of Acombe for breaking the common pound	1s. 8d.
Wm. Weddell for the like offence	2s. 0d.
Simon Branston for an assault on Nathaniel Granger	1s. 8d.
Geo. Crawe because his fences were deficient in Holgate Intacke adjoining Acombe Ings	6s. 8d.
Chris. Wade for the like default	5s. 0d.
Stephen Thompson because he tethered his horse in the Chappell Field contrary to the penalty	1s. 0d.
Robt. Ray and Geo. Gilbancke for the like offence each	1s. 0d.
Jos. Lambe for letting his sheep into the Hobmoore and the <i>Faugh</i> ¹ before it was broken	1s. 6d.
Ric. Mells because his fences at the Willow tree were faulty	6d.
John Harwood for letting his horses into the cornfield	3s. 4d.
Ralph Dewsberry for letting his oxen go in the <i>Averidge</i>	1s. 6d.
Edw. Osborne, clerk, Thos. Lovell, esq., Wm. Weddell, esq., Adam Pickard, gent., Chris. Taylor, gent., Mary Hill per Wm. Fearby, her guardian, Jas. Wilson, Geo. Gleadston, gent., John Goodricke, gent., and Thos. Wells per his tutor, Thos. Goodall, for not attending this court to make suit as they ought each	4d.
Total	£1 10s. 8d.

Ric. Blanshard, gent., lord of the manor, on 11 Sept. 1668 surrendered per Wm. Burdus and Chris. Etherington 2 cottages in Acomb to the use of Wm. Kent and Mary, his wife. Fine 40s. for Wm. Kent and 20s. for Mary.

Edw. Robinson and Anne, his wife, and Mary Robinson, widow, surrendered per Lawrence Williamson and Geo. Shawe 2 messuages, 2 cottages and 4½ oxgangs of land in Acomb, in the tenure of Ric. Blanshard, snr., and Ric. Milnes, to the use of Ric. Blanshard, gent., lord of the manor.

Thos. Newarke, gent., surrendered per Thos. Scadlocke and Wm. Topham 2 Carrgates in Acomb to the use of Lawrence Williamson. Fine 8s.

Thos. Newarke surrendered per Wm. Burdus and Robt. Walker 2 Broad Farr Milne Doores in the Farr Field adjoining lands of Jane Topham in Acomb to the use of Jos. Lambe, jnr. Fine 13s. 4d.

On 14 April 1668 Thos. Newarke surrendered per Wm. Burdus and Robt. Walker 2 Narrowes and 1 Broad Farr Milne Doores in the Farr Field adjoining lands of Hy. Blythe in Acomb to the use of Thos. Metcalfe and John Metcalfe, his son. Fine £1.

¹ See note, p. 132.

Thos. Newarke of Acomb, gent., surrendered per Robt. Walker and Thos. Harnis 2 Milford Lands, 1 a.; 1 Scorbitt, 1 r.; a small narrow half acre, 1 r.; 1 parcel of land adjoining the new fences called a *Longrood* in the Farr Feild; and 1 Middle Barrell in the Chappell Feild, 1 r.; to the use of Wm. Burdus. Fine £1 6s. 8d.

Penalties.

The occupiers of lands in Holgate fields to repair the fence between the Bullbacke End and the Intacke Nooke and make a gateway there. For every rood not repaired before 1 March 10s. 0d.

No inhabitant of Acombe to make common the highway in the Mouer Lands Headlands 3s. 4d.

Nor the highway in the Husband How next the Carre with carts or carriages 3s. 4d.

The inhabitants of Acombe to pave the gateway on the Lordshippbalke end leading to Hobmoore before the feast of the Annunciation of the B.V.M. [Mar. 25] 15s. 0d.

No carts to go on the meadow in the Ings to the *Brickilne* belonging to Jos. Harrison £1 13s. 4d.

Jos. Harrison not to close the footpath neither in the field nor in the Ings between the village of Popleton and the city of York 10s. 0d.

Jos. Lambe to dig, in English *gripp* his Mouer Land the third of the Narrows at the Knowle 3s. 4d.

It was likewise ordered that Nat. Wharton . . . [incomplete].

*SURRENDER. 9 MARCH 1669.

Thos. Newarke of Acombe, gent., surrendered per John Blythe and Ralfe Dewsberry 3 oxgangs of meadow in Acombe Ings with the Carrgates and Fallowgates belonging with their appurtenances to the use of Thos. Blythe of York, draper, provided that if Thos. Newarke pay to Thos. Blythe £31 11s. on 29 Sept. next this surrender to be void. *

*PAINES LAID AT THE COURT LEET, COURT BARON OF RICHARD BLANSHARD, GENT., HELD 12 APRIL 1669.

No person shall cut any *whinnes* without the consent of a Bylaw in paine of every burthen 12d. and every load 10s.

All inhabitants of Acomb and Holgate do make up their fore-fronts, backfronts and sidefronts and so keep them from time to time in paine of 3s. 4d.

No inhabitant of Acombe get any more turves than their *proporcon in paine* of 10s.

None of the inhabitants of Acombe or Holgate shall take into their houses any stranger without they give proper bond to save the *towne* harmless 39s.

All inhabitants of Acomb and Holgate shall keep their chimneys in sufficient repair and that none of them *lye* any hay, straw or turves nor any other thing which may be in danger of fire within two yards of their chimneys 20s.

No person shall go with cart or carriage down Thos. Woodward's lands which he farmeth in Howgatt field in *paine* of 3s. 4d.

All owners and occupiers of land in Holgate lordship that have any fence lying betwixt the Intack nooke and the river of Ouse make it up sufficiently within 10 days in *paine* of every default 3s. 4d.

*[in English]

SURRENDER. 28 APRIL 1669.

Thos. Newarke, gent., surrendered per Thos. Lorans and Thos. Scadlocke 5 oxgangs of Dales in the West Ings adjoining the Dales of Lawrence Williamson, 2 Leas of meadow in Acombe Ings adjoining the meadow of John Blythe and also 1 Carrgate and 1 Ploughgate in Acombe to the use of Lawrence Williamson.

SURRENDER TO MAKE A JOINTURE. 29 JUNE 1669.

Hy. Blythe of Askham Brian surrendered per Wm. Mealby and John Blyth all his messuages and cottages in Acombe with all outhouses and buildings belonging and 5 oxgangs of land with the appurtenances &c, now in the occupation of John Blyth, Saml. Wilson, Geo. Shaw and Fran. Leadall, to the use of himself during his life and after his decease to the use of Mary Wilberfosse, his intended wife, for her natural life, and after the death of Hy. and Mary to the use of such child or children of Mary by Hy. begotten as they by any writing at any time during their lives or by the last will of the longer liver of them shall appoint and for want of such heirs to the right heirs of Henry.

***SURRENDER. 6 AUG. 1669.**

Susan Newarke, widow, doth surrender per Chris. Etherington and Wm. Gowland Longpound Lowclose, 5 a.; in the Chappellfield, 2 wholes, $1\frac{1}{2}$ r.; 2 broads and 1 narrow on Bashleyhill side, $5\frac{1}{2}$ r.; 2 broads at Skewbalke side, $1\frac{1}{2}$ r.; 5 Goreingres, 1 r.; 2 Barraly dikes, $1\frac{1}{2}$ r.; 5 broad & 5 narrow Loscarrs next Knapton, 3 a.; 1 broad Gilder Scurr, 2 r.; 1 Loscarr Close, $\frac{1}{2}$ r.; in the Milnefield, 5 Longe Land ends, $2\frac{1}{2}$ r.; 4 broad Long Land ends, 1 a.; 3 broad Lodge Lease, 3 r.; 2 Lodge Lease sideways, 1 r.; 2 broads at Carr Nooke, 3 r.; 1 narrow Dowdale Bitt, $\frac{1}{2}$ r.; in the Beckfield, 9 broad Marrs, $4\frac{1}{2}$ a.; in the Lowfield, 2 half r. and 2 r. called *Holgate Roods*, 3 r.; in the Hobb Moore, 3 broad Moore Lands, $1\frac{1}{2}$ a.; 2 broads and a narrow in the Yorke Moore, 1 a. 1 r.; 1 hungry bitt, 1 r.; 1 headland, 2 r.; 1 blottinge, 2 r.; in the Farr Field, 6 Gawdy bottomes, 1 r.; 1 Stonebridge, 1 r.; and 5 broad Marr Milne doores, $2\frac{1}{2}$ a.; with the appurtenances, to the use of Susan Newarke the younger. *[in English]

VIEW OF FRANKPLEDGE WITH COURT BARON OF RICHARD BLANSHARD, GENT., 6 OCT. 21 CHAS. II, 1669 BEFORE WALLERAN HOKAM, STEWARD.

Affeerers. Wm. Burdus, gent. John Blyth [deleted] fin. 6s. 8d.

Jurors. Ric. Lexyngton, Matt. Thompson, Wm. Mealby, Ric. Shipton, Lawrence Williamson [deleted], Geo. Crowe, Geo. Gilburne, Thos. Harnis, Wm. Kent, Matt. Wharton, Wm. Hinchcliffe, Robt. Scadlocke.

Marke Scalby, constable.

Lawrence Williamson fined 6s. 8d.

Jas. Abbey well scourer for the west end of Acombe, Wm. Key for the east end.

SURRENDER. 5 NOV. 1669.

Wm. Kent for Acombe and Mary, his wife, surrender per Chris. Charrington and Robt. Walker a cottage abutting on John Bland on the S. and Wm. Kent on the N. with free common and all other appurtenances to the use of John Harwood and Susanna, his wife.

View of Frankpledge with Court Baron of Richard Blanshard, esq., 4 Oct. 30 Chas. II [1678] before John Wilkinson, gent., steward.

[There are 2 copies of all entries appearing below. Any variations in the text are shown in round brackets.]

Homage. Wm. Burdis, John Blyth, Wm. Mealby, Geo. Crowe, Laur. Williamson, Jos. Lamb, Jas. Abbey, Thos. Bickers, Robt. Scadlocke, Wm. Kay, jnr., John Stainley (Staineley), Thos. Harnesse, Robt. Wilkinson.

The following persons defaulted suit of court and were fined as stated:— Hy. Newarke, gent. (4d) and Robt. Waller, gent. (4d) free tenants, Anne Kirke, widow (4d), Edw. Agarr (4d), John Chapman (4d), Phil. Etherington (4d), Geo. Shaw, jnr. (4d), Wm. Kitchingman (4d), Geo. Earby (4d), Oswald Langwith (4d), Jos. Pickering (4d), Wilfred Masterman (4d), Bart. Robinson (4d), Thos. Hollinsworth (4d), Chris. Dixon, Jos. Maskew, Thos. Goodall, John Goodricke, Saml. Toreman, clerk, Edw. Osburne, clerk, . . . [blank] Wivell (Wyvell), gent., and John Ratcliffe, clerk. [No fines stated for the last 8 persons].

Thos. Royston of Knapton for casting down a fence in the Appletree Stubb Ends . . . Fined 12d.

Peter Fowler for the like offence in the Mares ende . . . Fined 12d.

And for not paying the pinder his salary for preserving the peas in the Far Field according to a byelaw . . . Fined 18d.

Wm. Hey, snr., died since the last court seised of 12½ a. and Wm. Hey, his son, is his nearest heir and is of age. Fine [unspecified].

Jos. Lamb died since the last court seised of various lands and tenements in Acomb and Jos. Lamb, his son, is nearest heir and is of age. He paid a fine of £20 1s. and was admitted to the premises viz. a messuage in the tenure of Jos. Lamb, a cottage in the tenure of Geo. Browne and 19 a. of arable land and 1 a. of pasture called *Hobmoore Close* in Acomb and 1 a. of land in Holgate.

Margaret Gibbons, widow, died since the last court seised of a messuage, a garth, 10 pastures and woods called *Cargates* and 10 pastures and woods called *Fallowgates* in Acomb. Eliz. Gibbons aged 5 yrs. and Joan Gibbons aged 3 yrs are her daughters and

nearest heirs and ought to repair the hedges and fences of the gates.¹ Custody of Eliz. and Joan granted to Robt. Barker as their nearest friend. Fine £8.

View of Frankpledge with Court Baron of Richard Blanshard 24 April 31 Chas. II, 1679, before John Wilkinson, gent., steward.

Hy. Lee, snr., of York, miller, surrendered on 1 Feb. last per Thos. Hill and Jos. Lambe 8 a. of arable land called *Owse Acres*, 2 a. called the Marrs and $\frac{1}{2}$ a. called the *Millsty* in Acomb to the use of Wm. Hey of York, son of Wm. Hey, innkeeper, deceased. Fine [unspecified].

Thos. Harnesse died seised of 1 cottage, 2 barns, 1 toft, 1 croft, 2 oxgangs of arable land with meadow, another cottage, toft and croft, 1 Carrgate, $\frac{1}{2}$ r. called *Lodge Ley* and common pasture and 1 r. called a *Longe Roade* in the Beckfield. Thos. Harnesse was his son and nearest heir. Fine [unspecified].

View of Frankpledge with Court Baron of Richard Blanshard, esq., 13 Oct. 31 Chas. II, 1679, before John Wilkinson, gent., steward.

Samuel Tireman, clerk, died since the last court seised of a messuage and close in Clifton. Hy. Tireman, gent., is his brother and nearest heir. Fine [unspecified].

CALL ROLL. COURT HELD 4TH MAY 1680.

ACOMBE FREEHOLDERS. John Bowcocke, clerk, Robt. Scadlock, John Blyth, Wm. Mealby, Wm. Burdax, gent., John Thompson, Wm. Tinsley, George Crowe, Hy. Newarke, gent., mort., Robt. Waller, gent., Robert Kay, Thos. Leedame, John Gowland, COPPYHOLDERS IN ACOMBE. Sir Wm. Wentworth, Sir Metcalfe Robinson, bart., Hy. Lee, Jas. Smith, Tho: Blyth, Lowrance Williamson, Lowther Preston, Rowland Betson, Wm. Lee, Wm. Topham, Tho: Gowland, Hy. Blyth, gent., Robt. Barker, Geo. Wilkinson, Geo. Lorriman, jnr., Peter Fowler, Robt. Gowland, Thos. Arthur, Wm. Gowland, Thos. Scadlock, Robt. Wilkinson, Wm. Burdus, Wm. Hinchliffe, Robt. Walker, snr., Jos. Lambe, Jos. Blyth, Geo. Crowe in the right of his wife, Robt. Scadlock, Edward Lorriman, Edward Coates, Thos. Hill, Wm. Mealby, Thos. Harnesse, Jo: Hartley, Matthew Wharton, Leo: Crosby, Hen: Cass in right of his wife, Wm. Kay, jnr., James Abbey, Ann Mealby, widow, Thos. Mealby, Jo: Staneley, Stephen Shipton, Thos. Smithson, Eliza: Arthur, Geo. Kirke, Wm. Peckett, Thos. Biskers, Jo: Bland, Thos. Metcalfe, Edward Agar, Francis Leedall, Rachel Garthwaite. RESIDANTS IN ACOMBE. Wm. Kay, snr., Jo: Chapman, Phillip Etherington, Ric. Tilburne, Alice Chapman, Wm. Sharper, Geo. Shaw, snr., Geo. Shaw, jnr., Stephen Thomson, Matthew Leetham,

¹ Pastures.

Robt. Kay, bailiff, Wm. Yates, Jurat. HOLGATE. Sir Jo: Kay, Bart., Wm. Clarke, gent., Wm. Kitchingman, Geo. Crowe, Wm. Burdux, Wm. Topham, Robt. Joy, John Thomson, Geo. Earby, Jo: Moutas, gent., Chas. French, Robt. Scadlock, Jos. Lambe, Margaret Lambe, spin., Mary Lambe, spin., Geo. Thresh, Thos. Earby. RESIDANTS IN HOLGATE. Jos. Pickering, Thos. Goodall, gent., Jo: Goodricke, Samuel Tireman, clerk, Thos. Goodricke. SKELTON Sir Jo: Brooke, bart., Edward Osburne, clerk, Francis Wyvell, gent., Jo: Ratcliffe, clerk. WIGGINGTON. Wm. Wyvell, Jo: Ratcliffe.

EXTRACT OF FINES AND AMERCIAMENTS AT THE COURT OF RICHARD BLANSHARD, esq., 13th OCTOBER 1680.

Robt. Scadlock for his backfront lying down	..	1s.	0d.
Fran. Leedall for his fence lying down agt Wm. Topham Garth	.. .. .	1s.	0d.
And for his swine destroying Wm. Tilselan <i>pease</i>	..		6d.
Robt. Wilkinson for part of the pinfeld being insufficient	.. .. .	1s.	0d.
Thos. Hill for the like	.. .. .	1s.	0d.
Mr. Ric. Blanshard, snr., for his backfront lying down and for his swine destroying corn in the Hob Moore	..	3s.	4d.
The heirs of Hy. Newarke, gent., Jas. Smith, Geo. Loriman, jnr., Robt. Gowland, Thos. Archer, Thos. Metcalfe, Geo. Sharp, John Kay, bart., Wm. Kitchingman, heirs Thos. Goodall, Henry Tireman, Thos. Goodricke, Sir John Brooke, Edward Osburne, Francis Wyvell, gent., John Ratcliffe, clerk, for not appearing at this court,	each	5s.	4d.
summa total 14s. 2d.			

*EXTRACT OF COURT ROLL OF RICHARD BLANSHARD. 10th OCT. 1681.

Elizabeth Ather since the last court died seised according to a copy of the rolls of half [of one acre?] of arable land or meadow and Edward Ather is her son and heir. Fine 16s. *

*EXTRACT OF COURT ROLL OF RICHARD BLANSHARD. 10th OCT. 1681.

Robert Scadlock of Acomb on 23 June 1681 surrendered per Thomas Harnis and Thomas Hill 3 a. of arable land and the crop of corn thereon growing with appurtenances viz. in the Lowfield 1 Mooreland Acre, 3 r. above certain lands called *The Crofts*; in the Beckfield 2 Broad Marrs, 1 a., and 1 long rod of land in Acomb then in the tenure of Robert Scadlock to the use of John Hartlay of Acomb. Fine [unspecified]. *[Latin]

SURRENDER. 3rd JUNE 1682.

Rachell Garthwaite widow surrenders per Thos. Blythe and Thos. Harnis 1 a. of meadow in Acombe Ouze Ings called a *Clifton Acre* with appurtenances now in the tenure of Rachell Garthwaite to the use of Wm. Mealbye of Acomb.

SURRENDER. 12th JUNE 1682.

Stephen Shipton surrenders per Robt. Wilkinson and Wm. Mealeby 2 *Faugh Gaites* or Field Gates and 2 Carr Gaites with the fences in the tenure of Stephen Shipton to the use of Thos. Smythson.

*EXTRACT OF COURT ROLL OF RICHARD BLANSHARD
4th OCT. 34 CAR. II. [1682]

Maria Hartlay died seised of 1 a. of land in Acombe Ings and Isabella Sanderson wife of Christopher Sanderson of Stillingfleet is her heir. Fine [unspecified].
*[Latin]

CALL ROLL. COURT HELD 4th OCT. 1682.

[(d) = deleted. (ins) = later insertion.]

ACOMBE FREEHOLDERS. John Bowcocke, clerk, Robt. Scadlock (d), Heires Scadlock (ins), John Blythe, Wm. Mealby, Wm. Burdux, John Thompson, Wm. Tinsley, Anne (ins) Geo. (d) Crowe, Fran. Newarke (ins), Hy. Newarke, gent. (d), Robt. Waller esq., Robert Ray, Thos. Gowland, John Gowland. COPPYHOLDERS IN ACOMBE. Sir Wm. Wentworth, Sir Metcalfe Robinson, bart., Michaell (ins) Hy. (d) Lee, James Smith (d), Thos. Blyth, Lawrence Williamson, Wm. Bellwood (ins), Lowther Preston (d), Rowland Bettson, Wm. Lee, Heires of (ins) Wm. Topham, Thos. Gowland (d), Hy. Blyth, gent., Robt. Barker, Geo. Wilkinson, Geo. Lorriman, jnr., Peter Fowler, Wm. (ins) Robert (d) Gowland, Wm. Arthur, jnr. (ins), Thos. Arthur, Wm. Gowland, Margret (ins) Thos. (d) Scadlock, Robt. Wilkinson, Wm. Burdux, Wm. Hinchcliffe, Ematt (ins) Robt. (d) Walker, Jos. Lambe, John Blyth, Anne (ins) Geo. (d) Crowe (in jur. ux. (d)), Robt. Scadlock (d), Edward Lorriman, Edward Coates, heires of Wm. Hey (ins), Thos. Hill, Wm. Mealby, Thos. Harneis, John Hartlay, Math. Wharton, Robt. Kirke (ins), John Kirke (ins), Hen: Carr in jur. ux., Wm. Kay, jnr., Robt. (ins) James (d) Abbay, An Mealby, wid., Thos. Mealby, Margret (ins) John (d) Stanely, Stephen Shipton, Thos. Smithson, Edward (ins) Eliz: (d) Arthur, Geo. Kirke, Wm. Peckett, Thos. Bickers, John Bland, Thos. Metcalfe, Edward Agarr, Rachell Garthwaite (d), Wm. Plaister (ins). RESIDANTS IN ACOMB. Wm. Kay, snr., John Chapman, Phillip Etherington, Ric. Tilburne, Geo. (ins) Alice (d) Chapman, Wm. Sharper, Geo. Shaw, snr., Geo. Shaw, jnr., Steph. Thomson, Robt. Walker, jnr. (ins), Mathew Leethom, Robt. Ray (d), Wm. Yates, Chris. Sanderson in jur. ux. (ins). HOLDGATE. Sir John Kay, bart., Wm. Clarke, gent., Wm. Kitchingman (d), Anne (ins) Geo. (d) Craw, Wm. Burdux, gent., Wm. Topham (d), Robt. Joy, John Thomson, Geo. Earby, John Mewtas, gent., Chas. French, Robt. Scadlock (d), Jos. Lambe, Margarett Lambe, spinster, Mary Lambe, spinster, Geo. Thresh, Thos. Earby (d). RESIDANTS IN HOLDGATE. Jos. Pickering, Wilfred Masterman (d), Bartholl: Robinson, Thos. Hollinsworth, Chris. Dixon (d), Alice Dixon (ins), Jonathon Gill (ins). CLIFTON. Sir Metcalfe Robinson, bart., heires of Thos. Goodall, gent., John Gooderike, heires of Sam: Tyreman, clerk, Thomas Goodericke. SKELTON. Sir John

Brooke, bart., Edward Osburne, clerk, Fran. Wyvell, gent., John Ratcliffe, clerk. WIGGINGTON. Wm. Wivell, gent., John Ratcliffe, clerk [Written in a different hand]. TENANTS & RESIDANTS IN ACOMBE & not in roll before. Robt. Bawtrey, Thos. Wattman, Thos. Slaton, Thos. Woodward, Geo. Nicholson, Geo. Browne, Chris. Brewerton, Robt. Grainger.

SURRENDER. 7th NOV. 1682.

John Dodgshon of Knaisbrough batchelor surrenders per John Blythe and Thos. Harnis one messuage house in Acombe with 2 garths on the backside with free common and all other appurtenances to the use of John Hartlay and Ann his wife and their heirs.

SURRENDER. 20th NOV. 1682.

Henry Lee the elder of the *Cetty of Yorke* surrenders per Thos. Blythe and Wm. Lee one close of *Arrable meddow* or pasture ground called *Hinging Clif Close* in Acomb containing 8 a. to the use of Michale Lee, son of the said Henry, and Ann, his wife.

*EXTRACT OF COURT ROLL OF RICHARD BLANSHARD. 18 April 35 Car. II. [1683].

Maria Hartley, wife of John Hartley, died seised of 1 a. of land in Acombe Inges called Clifton Acre and Thos. Brough, Hellen Marshall and Anna Linfoute are co-heirs of the said Maria. Fine [unspecified]. * [Latin]

CALL ROLL. COURT HELD 10th OCT. 1683.

ACOMB FREEHOLDERS. John Bowcocke, clerk, John Blythe, Wm. Mealeby, Wm. Burdux, gent., John Thompson, Wm. Tinsley, Ann Crow, Fran. Newarke, gent., Robt. Waller, esq., Robt. Kay, Thos. Leedam, John Gowland. COPPYHOLDERS IN ACOMBE. Sir Wm. Wentworth, bart., Sir Metcalfe Robinson, bart., Michael Lee, Thos. Blythe, Lawrence Williamson, Wm. Bellwood, Rowland Bettson, Mary Lee, widow, Heirs of Wm. Topham, Hy. Blythe, gent., Robert Barker, Geo. Wilkinson, Heirs of Geo. Lorryman, Peter Fowler, Wm. Gowland, Margret Scadlock, Robt. Wilkinson, Wm. Burdux, Thos. Hinchcliffe, Emott Watson, Jos. Lambe, John Blythe, Anne Crowe, Edward Lorrinan, Edward Coats, heirs of Wm. Heigh, Robt. Gowland, Thos. Hill, Wm. Mealeby, Thos. Harnis, John Hartlay, Mathew Wharton, Robt. Kirke, John Kirke, Henry Carr in right of his wife, Wm. Kay, jnr., Wm. Peckett, Anne Mealbey, widdow, Thos. Mealbey, Margrett Staineley, Thos. Smithson, Edward Arthur, George Kirke, Wm. Peckett, Thos. Bickers, John Bland, Thos. Metcalfe, Edward Agar, Mary Leedell, Wm. Plaister. COPPYHOLDERS IN CLIFTON. Sir Metcalfe Robinson, bart., Thos. Goodall, John Goodricke, heirs of Sam. Tyreman, Thos. Goodricke. SKELTON FREEHOLDERS. Sir John Brooke, bart., Edward Osborne, cler., Fran. Wyvell. WIGGINGTON. John Radcliffe, cler., Wm. Wyvell, gent. TENANTS & RESIDANTS IN ACOMBE. Geo. Jackson, Wm. Kay, snr., John Chapman, Geo.

Nicolson, Ric. Hilburne, Geo. Shaw, jnr., Wm. Sharper, Geo. Shaw, snr., Geo. Shaw, jnr., Stephen Thompson, Robt. Walker, Mat. Leedom, Wm. Yeates, Thos. Wattman, Thos. Slaton, Thos. Woodward, Geo. Nicholson, Geo. Browne, Chris. Bromerto[n]. HOLEGATE. Sir John Kay, bart., Wm. Clarke, gent., Anne Crow, Wm. Burdeux, gent., Robt. Joy, John Thompson, Geo. Earby, Chas. French, Jos. Lambe, Margret Lambe, spinster, Mary Lambe, spinster, Jane Thresh, Barthol: Robinson, Thos. Hollingworth, . . . Dixon, Ric. Williamson, Thos. Williamson.

EXTRACT OF COURT ROLL OF RICHARD BLANSHARD.
10th OCT. 1683.

HOMAGE. Wm. Gowland, Jos. Lambe, Robt. Barber, Thos. Leedham, Wm. Tinsley, Jos. Pickeringe, Geo. Thresh, Geo. Jackson, Matt. Leedome, Thos. Bickers, Geo. Shaw, jnr., Wm. Kay, jnr., Edward Agar.

CONSTABLE. Stephen Thompson.

EXTRACT OF COURT ROLL OF RICHARD BLANSHARD.
12th APRIL 1684.

HOMAGE. John Blythe, Geo. Eareby, Wm. Mealeby, Peter Fowler, Edward Loryman, Robt. Gowland, Geo. Nicholson, Rowland Bettson, Robt. Wilkinson, Wm. Plaister, Thos. Woodward, Robt. Ray, Wm. Hinchcliffe.

EXTRACT OF COURT ROLL OF RICHARD BLANSHARD.
12th APRIL 1684.

On 8 April Thos. Brough and Thos. Linfoute and his wife Anna and Hellen Marshall surrendered per John Goodricke and Thos. Goodricke 1 a. of land in Ings called a *Clifton Acre* to the use of Wm. Bellwood. Fine [unspecified].

*EXTRACT OF COURT ROLL OF RICHARD BLANSHARD.
12 APRIL 1684.

Edmund Coates died seised of one messuage and separte parcel of land in Acomb and Elizabeth Stafford is his heir. Fine £10. *[Latin]

EXTRACT OF COURT ROLL OF RICHARD BLANSHARD.
1 OCT. 1684.

HOMAGE. Thos. Blythe, gent., Thos. Hill, Wm. Bellwood, John Thompson, Thos. Harnis, Robt. Walker, Wm. Hynesley, Thos. Bickers, Thos. Hollingworth, Wm. Archer, Chris. Brewerton, Geo. Shaw, Wm. Weddell.

CONSTABLE. Robt. Wilkinson. WELL SCOWERER, Wm. Hinchcliffe.

EXTRACT OF COURT ROLL OF RICHARD BLANSHARD.
1 OCT. 1684.

Stephen Shipton of the city of York, carpenter, on 6 June 1684 surrendered per Thos. Blythe and Thos. Harnesse 1 parcel of meadow

on Hobb Moore, 3 rods; 1 parcel of meadow in Owse Ings belonging to 1 oxgang of arable land in Acombe with appurtenances to the use of Wm. Bellwood his heirs and assigns. Fine [unspecified].

SURRENDER. 18 OCT. 1684.

Roberte Abbay surrenders per Wm. Mealbye and Thos. Metcalfe one cottage house with a garth on the backside and 1 barn, 1 Carr Gaite with free common and all other appurtenances to the use of Wm. Peckit of Acombe and Frances, his wife.

EXTRACT OF COURT ROLL OF RICHARD BLANSHARD.
1 MAY 1685.

HOMAGE. Wm. Mealebye, John Goodericke, Geo. Earby, Edward Lorryman, Peter Fowler, Wm. Garbutt, Geo. Jackson, Geo. Thresh, Thos. Helmsley, Stephen Thompson, Geo. Chapman, Wm. Hinchliffe, John Hartley.

... omas Smithson for refusing to be sworn on the jury 10s. 0d.

... the oath of fealty to Thos. Smythson he obstinately refus...

... before she had taken the oath of fealty ... to hinder Geo. Wilkinson for taking the oath of ...

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PRESENTMENTS AT THE COURT HELD 1 MAY 1685.

All those which *dide nether apeare nore assoine att the*
Lords Court to doe ther service 4d.

Thos. Smithson for refusinge to be sworn on the jury 4d.

Willim Archard of Knapton for *Breakin downe* the
hedge into Acombe Carr contrary to a pain laid .. 4d.

[Note the difference in the fines stated for refusing to be sworn on the jury in this and the preceding and following items.]

EXTRACT OF COURT ROLL OF RICHARD BLANSHARD.
5 OCT. 1685.

JURORS. John Blythe, gent., Wm. Bellwood, gent., Wm. Garbutt, Wm. Tynesley, Robt. Walker, Thos. Smithson, Thos. Leedome, Rowland Betson, Edward Agar, Robt. Wilkinson, Thos. Harnis, Chris. Brewerton, Wm. Plaster.

CONSTABLE. Geo. Nicholson.

Thos. Smithson for refusing to be sworn on the jury 10s. 0d.

[A further paragraph regarding Chris. Brewerton unreadable owing to damage.]

PRESENTMENTS AT THE SAME COURT. [Endorsed as 12 Oct. 1685.]

Every homager that did not appear nor assoine at the
court 4d.

Hy. Car for *lyeing fodder beside his chimley* .. 6d.

Thos. Smithson, Wm. Sharper, Geo. Chapman, Wm.
Weddall, Geo. Shaw, snr., Geo. Shaw, jnr., and Thos.
Bickers for the like each 6d.

Susanna Weddall & her daughter for breaking down the fence in the Chappell Field	6d.
The <i>owneur</i> of holdgate Pinfold for being in decay ..	8s. 6d.
The bylaw masters of Holdgate for not <i>hingeing there gate at the intack nook</i>	1s. 6d.
Thos. Metcalfe & others for not <i>lyeing</i> a bridge called Willow bridge, all of them	3s. 4d.
Chris. Hoverton for tethering his horse in the Corne field by night	6d.
Stephen Thompson for the like	2s. 6d.
John Harley for the like	6d.
The <i>owneur of the rales at the east toune</i> end gate for being out of repair	2s. 6d.
Anne Crow for her fence betwixt Acombe ings and Holdgate Intack adjoining of <i>ouse</i> for being out of repair	2s. 6d.
Dorothy Rayston for sending her servants for breaking down fence between Acombe fields and Knapton ..	1s. 0d.

JURORS. John Blythe, Rowland Betson, Chris. Bruerton, Robt. Walker, Thos. Ledam, Wm. Tinsley, Robt. Wilkinson, Wm. Garbut, Edward Agar, Thos. Harnis, Wm. Plaster, Thos. Smithson.

SURRENDER. 20 APRIL 1686.

Nicholas Sugar surrenders per John Goodrick and Thos. Goodrick one messuage with appurtenances in Clifton, late the lands of Thos. Goodall the elder, deceased, to the use of Thos. Goodall son of Thos. the elder.

EXTRACT OF COURT ROLL OF RICHARD BLANSHARD.
21 APRIL 1686.

HOMAGE. John Goodricke, Thos. Hill, Geo. Earby, John Thompson, Jos. Lambe, Thos. Hollinsworth, Thos. Blythe, Thos. Helmsley, Thos. Metcalfe, Stephen Thompson, Geo. Jackson, Thos. Goodricke, Wm. Rowlands.

CALL ROLL. 21 APRIL 1686.

[(d) = deleted. (ins) = later insertion.]

ACOMB FREEHOLDERS. John Bowcocke, clerk, John Blythe, Wm. Mealby, Wm. Burdux, John Thompson, Wm. Tinsley, Ann Crow, Fran. Newarke, gent., Robert Waller esq., Robt. Ray, Thos. Leedham, John Gowland. COPYHOLDERS IN ACOMB. Sir Wm. Wentworth, bart., Sir Metcalfe Robinson, bart., Jos. Lambe, Thos. Blythe, Lawrence Williamson, Wm. Bellwood, Rowland Bettson, Mary Lee, widow, heirs of Wm. Topham, Henry Blythe, gent., Robt. Barker, Robt. Wilkinson, heirs of Geo. Lorryman, Peter Fowler, Wm. Gowland, Wm. Sheppard (ins), Margaret Skadlocke (d), Robert Wilkinson, Wm. Burdux (d), Thos. (ins) Wm. (d) Hinchcliffe, Emott Walker, Jos. Lambe, John Blythe, Anne Crowe, Edward Lorryman, Elizabeth Stafford (ins), heirs of Wm. Heigh, Robt. Gowland, Thos. Hill, Wm. Mealeby, Thos. Harnis, John Hartley, Matt. Wharton, Robt. Kirke, John Kirke, I[s]abell Wm. Kay, jnr.,

Robt. Abbey (d), Wm. Peckett, Anne Mealeby, widow, Mary the wife of (d) John Deighton, Thomas Mealeby (d) mort, Margaret Stainley, Stephen Shipton (d), Thos. Smithson, Edward Arthur, mort, Geo. Kirke, Wm. Peckett, Thos. Bickers, John Bland (d), Thos. Metcalfe, Edward Agar, Mary Leedell, Wm. Plaister, Wm. Archer. COPYHOLDERS IN CLIFTON. Sir Metcalfe Robinson, bart., Thos. Goodall, jnr., John Goodricke, Fran. Gardiner. SKELTON FREEHOLDERS. Sir John Brooke, bart., Edward Osborne, clerk, mort, Fran. Wyvell, gent., WIGGINGTON. John Radcliffe, clerk, Wm. Wyvell, gent. TENANTS & RESIDANTS IN ACOMB. Geo. Jackson, Wm. Kay, Son, John Chapman, Geo. Nicholson, Mary Tilburne, Richard (d), Geo. Chapman (d) heir jnr. (ins), Wm. Sharper, Geo. Shaw, Son, Ellen Thompson, Robt. Walker, Matt. Leedome, Wm. Yeates (d), Chris. Sanderson & ux. (d), Robt. Bawtry (d), Thos. Wattman, Thos. Slaton, Robt. Grainger, Thos. Woodward, Geo. Nicholson, Geo. Browne, Chris. Bromerton. HOLGATE. Sir John Kay, bart., Wm. Clarke, gent., Anne Crowe, Wm. Burdeux, gent., Robt. Joy, John Thompson, Geo. Earby, John Montasyou (d), Chas. French, Jos. Lambe, Margaret Lambe, spinster, Mary Lambe, spinster, Jane Thresh, Margery Pickering, Barthol. Ro[binson], Thos. . . . , Alice Dixon, Jonathon Hill (d), Ric. Williamson, Thos. Williamson, Robt. Gregor[y], Wm. Garbutt.

*EXTRACT OF COURT ROLL OF RICHARD BLANSHARD.
21 APRIL 2 JAS. II [1686].

Nicholas Sugar, gent., on 20 April 1686 surrendered per John Goodricke and Thos. Goodricke one messuage with appurtenances in Clifton, late in the tenure of Thos. Goodall, deceased, to the use of Thos. Goodall, son and heir of the said Thos. deceased. Fine £6 10s. 0d. *

*EXTRACT OF COURT ROLL OF RICHARD BLANSHARD.
21 APRIL 1686.

Jona [sic, endorsed as Joannah] Gibbins, spinster, died seised of a mediety of a messuage with appurtenances in Acombe and 10 pastures in English *Carregates* and 10 a. in English *Faughgates* in Acombe and Elizabeth Gibbins is her sister and nearest heir. Fine £4. *

*EXTRACT OF COURT ROLL OF RICHARD BLANSHARD.
21 APRIL 2 JAS. II [1686].

Thos. Mealby died seised of a cottage and separte parcel of arable land with appurtenances in Acombe and of one parcel of land called *Cottage Garth* and separte parcel of arable land with appurtenances in Holgate and that Maria, wife of John Deighton is next heir. Fine [unspecified].

John Harwood died seised of one cottage with appurtenances in Acombe and Wm. Harwood is son and next heir of the said John. Fine 30s. *[Latin]

EXTRACT OF COURT ROLL OF RICHARD BLANSHARD.
11 OCT. 1686.

HOMAGE. John Blythe, gent., Wm. Bellwood, Jo. Gowland, Jos. Lambe, Geo. Earby, Wm. Tinsley, Thos. Helmsley, Rowland Betson, Edward Agar, Wm. Peckett, Wm. Kay, Geo. Browne, Thos. Woodward.

CONSTABLE. Wm. Garbutt.

EXTRACT OF COURT ROLL OF RICHARD BLANSHARD.
11 OCT. 2 JAS. II [1686].

John Bland and Robt. Bland, his son, surrendered one cottage and one garden with appurtenances in Acombe in the occupation of Matt. Leedome, and 4 a. and $\frac{1}{2}$ rod of arable land in Acombe, viz. in the Chappell Field, $\frac{1}{2}$ a. on the west of Bashley Hill; 1 r. on the Beckfield, 1 long rood; in the Farrfield, a Goldy Bottome, 1 r.; 1 r. on the Scorbutts; $\frac{1}{2}$ a. on the Scorbutts; in the Milnefield, a Milne Stie, 1 r.; a long land end abutting on the Carr, $\frac{1}{2}$ r.; a long land $\frac{1}{2}$ a., lying fifth from the mill; 1 r. on the Kirke Roods; in the Lowfield, an Oxcroft, $\frac{1}{2}$ a.; an Outall Bitt, $1\frac{1}{2}$ r.; a Hollgate Rood, 1 r.; with appurtenances to the use of Robt. Waller esq. Fine £4 6s. 8d.

SURRENDER. 22 OCT. 1686.

*[Latin]

Wm. Gowland surrenders per Jos. Lamb and Fran. Thompson 1 r. of land on the Kirke Roods in the Milnefield between the lands of Robert Waller esq., heretofore of Robt. Scadlock on the west and lands of Mary Lee, widow, and Thos. Tenant on the east to the use of Robert Waller.

SURRENDER ON EXCHANGE. 20 OCT. 1686.

Hy. Blithe surrenders per John Blithe and Fran. Thompson $\frac{1}{2}$ a. on the Kirke Roods in the Milfield next a little close of Ric. Blanshard esq. on the west and lands late of Thos. Harnisse on the east, 1 r. on the same flat betwene lands late of Jos. Lamb on the west and lands of Richard Blanshard on the east, to the use of Robt. Waller esq. in exchange for 1 Holgate Rood in the Lowfield, 1 r. on the Scorbutts in the Farrfield and 1 r. called a *Milsty* in the Milfield this day surrendered by Robt. Waller to the use of Hy. Blithe. [There is a Surrender by Robt. Waller in the same terms which is not printed.]

SURRENDER. 20 OCT. 1686.

Wm. Burdus, gent., surrenders per John Blithe and Fran. Thompson 1 r. of land in Acombe to the use of Robt. Waller.

SURRENDER. 20 OCT. 1686.

Michael Lee and Anne, his wife, surrender per Thos. Hill and Thos. Blythe one Close called *Hinging Cliffe*, 8 a., with appurtenances in Acomb to the use of Jos. Lambe.

SURRENDER. 20 OCT. 1686.

Robt. Waller, esq., surrenders per John Blithe and Fran. Thompson one Long Rood in the Beckfield, late the land of John Bland, to the use of Wm. Burdas.

SURRENDER. 22 OCT. 1686.

John Lambe surrenders per Wm. Gowland and Fran. Thompson $\frac{1}{2}$ a. of land on the Kirkroods *betwene* a land of Robt. Waller esq. late of John Bland on the west and land of Robt. Waller heretofore Peter Hills on the east and also 1 r. on the same *flatt betwene* land of Mary Lee, and Thos. Tennant on the west and land of Hy. Blithe, gent., on the east, to the use of Robert Waller.

SURRENDER. 22 OCT. 1686.

Thos. Harnesse surrenders per Wm. Gowland and Jos. Lambe $\frac{1}{2}$ a. of land on the Kirkroods in the Milnefield *betwene* the lands of Hy. Blithe, gent., on the west and a land of Robt. Waller, esq. late John Blands on the east to the use of Robt. Waller.

*EXTRACT OF COURT ROLL. 30 OCT. 1686.

On 30 Oct. 1686 Robt. Waller surrendered per John Blithe and Fran. Thompson a long rood in the Beckfield in Acombe, formerly the land of John Bland, to the use of Wm. Burdas, gent. Fine 3s. 4d.

On 22 Oct. 1686 Thos. Harnesse surrendered per Wm. Gowland and Jos. Lambe $\frac{1}{2}$ a. on the Kirkroods in the Milnefield in Acombe between land of Hy. Blythe gent., on the west and land of Robt. Waller, formerly of John Bland, on the east, to the use of Robt. Waller. Fine 6s. 8d.

On 30 Oct. 1686 Wm. Burdas surrendered per John Blithe and Fran. Thompson 1 r. on the Kirkroods in the Milnefield in Acombe, between the lands of Robt. Waller, to the use of Robt. Waller. Fine 3s. 4d.

On 22 Oct. 1686 Jos. Lambe surrendered per Wm. Gowland and Fran. Thompson $\frac{1}{2}$ a. on the Kirkeroods in the Milnefield in Acombe between the lands of Robt. Waller, formerly John Bland, on the west and of Robt. Waller, formerly Peter Hill, on the east, and 1 r. on the same *flatt* between lands of Mary Lee, widow, and Thos. Tennant on the west and Hy. Blithe, gent., on the east, to the use of Robt. Waller. Fine 10s.

On 30 Oct. 1686 Hy. Blithe surrendered per John Blithe and Fran. Thompson $\frac{1}{2}$ a. on the Kirkeroods in the Milfield in Acombe near the close of Ric. Blanshard on the west and land formerly of Thos. Harnesse on the east, and 1 r. on the same *flatt* between lands formerly of Jos. Lambe on the west and Ric. Blanshard on the east to the use of Robt. Waller. Fine 10s.

On 30 October 1686 Robt. Waller surrendered per John Blythe and Fran. Thompson a Holgate Rood in the Lowfield in Acombe, 1 r. on the Scorbutts in the Farrfield, and 1 r. called a *Milsty* in the Millfield in Acombe, all formerly the lands of John Bland, to the use of Hy. Blythe. Fine 10s. *[Latin]

SURRENDER. 9 APRIL 3 Jas. II, A.D. 1687.

Wm. Archer surrenders per Robert Waller esq. and Thos. Harnis $1\frac{1}{2}$ a. of arable land with the appurtenances in Acombe, viz. in the Farrfield 1 little half acre, in the Chappell Field a Gilderscarr, $\frac{1}{2}$ a.,

and 3 Becke Bitts, $\frac{1}{2}$ a., to the use Thos. Hill the elder and Thos. Hill the younger, son and heir of Thos. the elder.

EXTRACT OF COURT ROLL OF RICHARD BLANSHARD.
4 MAY 1688.

On 24 Oct. 1687 Isabell Carr surrendered per Robt. Wilkinson and Fran. Thompson $\frac{1}{2}$ a. of arable land in Holgate Folle Milfield called *Brecken Hill* on the east of Wm. Burdas, to the use of Robt. Joy. Fine 8s.

On 24 Oct. 1687 Robt. Joy surrendered per Robt. Wilkinson and Fran. Thompson $\frac{1}{2}$ a. in Holgate Folle Milfield called *Crabtree* between lands of Wm. Burdas and Ric. Stephenson to the use of Isabell Carr. Fine 8s.

[This extract is endorsed '4 May 1687' and again '4 Jac. 2.' i.e. 1688.]

*EXTRACT OF COURT ROLL OF RICHARD BLANSHARD.
3 OCT. 1687.

HOMAGE. Geo. Earby, Jos. Lambe, Thos. Harnis, Peter Fowler, Rowland Betson, Bryon Sawer, Robt. Walker, Wm. Tinsley, Thos. Bickers, Ric. Chapman, John Hartley, Thos. Hinchcliffe, Wm. Walker.

CONSTABLE. Geo. Jackson.

*EXTRACT OF COURT ROLL OF RICHARD BLANSHARD.
3 OCT. 1687.

On 9 April 1687 Wm. Archer surrendered per Robt. Waller and Thos. Harnis in the Farrfield, a little half acre, $\frac{1}{2}$ a.; in the Chappellfield, a Gilderscarr, $\frac{1}{2}$ a.; 3 Beckbitts, $\frac{1}{2}$ a.; to the use of Thomas Hill and Thomas his son. Fine 30s.

On 22 October 1686 Wm. Gowland surrendered per Jos. Lambe and Fran. Thompson 1 r. on the Kirke Roods in the Milnefield between the lands of Robt. Waller, esq., formerly of Robt. Scadlocke, on the west and Mary Lee, widow, and Thos. Tennant on the east to the use of Robt. Waller. Fine 3s. 4d.

On 9 June 1687 Thos. Hill surrendered per Robt. Waller esq. and Wm. Gowland a Mooreland in the lowfield, 1 a.; a husband howe in the Milfield, $\frac{1}{2}$ a.; a Milsty, $\frac{1}{2}$ a.; a *bitt over the way*, $1\frac{1}{2}$ r.; a broad and a narrow *petty raine*, $1\frac{1}{2}$ r.; a *narrow long land end*, $\frac{1}{2}$ r.; a *narrow dowedell bitt*, one part in the Milfield the other in the Lowfield, $\frac{1}{2}$ r.; in the Farrfield, an Apple Tree Stubb, $\frac{1}{2}$ a.; a long half acre, $\frac{1}{2}$ a.; two Gilderscarrs, 1 a.; all of which were formerly of Robert Scadlocke, deceased, to the use of Wm. Sheppard and Margaret, his wife, daughter and heir of Thos. Hill. Fine 80s.

On 20 October 1686 Michael Lee and Ann, his wife, surrendered per Thos. Hill and Thos. Blythe a Hinging Clifte, 8 a., in Acombe to the use of Jos. Lambe. Fine £13.

On 15 May 1687 Laurence Williamson surrendered per Thos. Harnesse and Rowland Betson, three Rices in the Ings, $1\frac{1}{2}$ a.; in a field called *Jenny Cudbert*, $\frac{1}{2}$ a.; 3 Carr Gates and 1 Faughgate in the

West Ings; 2 r. and 6 Oxgange Dailes; and 1 a. on the east of the West Ings; to the use of Elizabeth Williamson, daughter of John Williamson and niece [or granddaughter] of Laurence Williamson. Fine £3. 15. 0. *

*SURRENDER. 6 OCT. 1687.

Wm. Burdas, gent., surrenders per Robt. Waller esq. and Thos. Hill the appurtenances of 1 oxgang and 2 a. of land in the fields of Holgate and in the fields of Acombe, Ouze Acres, 2 a.; 2 Millsties, 1 a.; a Pellytrane, 1 r.; in a place called *Gruntland Nooke*, $\frac{1}{2}$ r.; and in Bashley Hill, $\frac{1}{2}$ r.; formerly land of Robt. Scadlocke, for the use of Wm. Sheppard and Margaret, his wife, daughter of Thos. Scadlocke, brother of Robt. Fine £7. 10. 0. *

SURRENDER. 24 OCT. 1687.

Robt. Joy doth surrender per Robt. Wilkinson and Fran. Thompson $\frac{1}{2}$ a. of arable land in Holgate Folle Milfield called *Crabtree* betwixt the lands of Wm. Burdis and Ric. Sheppard to the use of Issabell Carr.

*EXTRACT OF COURT ROLL OF RICHARD BLANSHARD. 24 OCT. 1687.

Isabell Carr surrendered per Robt. Wilkinson and Fran. Thompson, $\frac{1}{2}$ a. of arable land in Holgate Folle Milfield called *Brecken Hill* to the east of Wm. Burdas for the use of Robt. Joy. Fine [unspecified]. *[Latin]

EXTRACT OF COURT ROLL OF RICHARD BLANSHARD. 12 OCT. 1688.

HOMAGE. John Blythe, gent., Jos. Lambe, Hy. Blythe, gent., John Thompson, Robt. Wilkinson, Thos. Harnis, Thos. Bickars, Robt. Walker, John Robinson, Geo. Nicholson, Thos. Slaton, John Gooland, Robt. Gooland.

CONSTABLE FOR ACOMBE. Thos. Harnis.

SURRENDER. 8 OCT. 1689.

Thos. Hinchliffe doth surrender per Thos. Metcalfe and Robt. Wilkinson one half messuage with a barn and a Holme and a Garth on the backside with free *Comon* and all other appurtenances belonging now in the tenure of the said Thos., to the use of Robt. Walker. Provided allways that if the above bounden Thos. Hinchliffe do well and truly pay to Robt. Walker of Acombe, gent., four and twenty pounds and ten shillings with lawfull consideration upon the eighth day of April next this surrender to be void.

EXTRACT OF COURT ROLL OF RICHARD BLANSHARD. 11 OCT. 1689.

HOMAGE. Wm. Bellwood, Geo. Earby, Wm. Garbutt, Edward Lorryman, Robt. Walker, Thos. Leedam, Wm. Tinsley, Geo. Jackson, Thos. Hinchcliffe, Robert Ray, Wm. Plaister, Mathew Leedam, John Fairweather.

CONSTABLES. Ric. Chapman for Acombe, Bartholomew Robinson for Holgate.

PINDER. Thos. Slaton.

CALL ROLL. EASTER [April 12] 1691.

[(d) = deleted. (ins) = later insertion.]

ACOMB FREEHOLDERS. John Bowcock, clerk, John Blythe, Wm. Mealbye, Geo. Earby, Thos. Pender, Wm. Burdeux (d), John Thompson, Hy. Thompson (d), Anne Crow, Fran. Newarke, gent., Robt. Walker esq., Robt. Ray, Thos. Leedam, John Gowland. COPPYHOLDERS ON ACOMBE. Sir Wm. Wentworth, bart., Sir Wm. Robinson, bart., Hanah Blythe, Mary Blythe, Frances Blythe, Elizabeth Williamson, spin., John Wilkinson, (d), Wm. Bellwood, Rowland Betson, Mary Lee, widow, Marke Daniell and Jane, his wife, Margrett Topham, Hy. Blythe, gent., Matt. Vessey, gent., Robt. Wilkinson, heirs of Geo. Lorryman, Peter Fowler, Wm. Gowland, Wm. Sheppard, Thos. Hinchcliffe, Geo. (ins) Robt. (d) Watson, Gran (sic) Sampson, Kath. Acombe, Mary Lambe (d), John Harrison in right of Mary, his wife, Edward Lorryman, Elizabeth Stafford, Wm. Heigh, Robt. Gowland, Thos. Hill, Wm. Mealbye, Thos. Harnis, heirs of John Hartley, John Hartley (d), Matt. Wharton, Robt. Kirke, Isabell Carr, (d), Wm. Kay jnr., Frances (ins) Wm. (d) Peckett, Wm. Hill, Geo. Jackson & Grace ux, Thos. Smithson, Wm. Ellis, Thos. Bickars, Thos. Metcalfe, Wm. Plaister, Mary Leedall, Hy. Carr, Ric. Chapman, Fran. Thompson, Hy. Thompson (ins), John Kirke (ins). COPYHOLDERS IN CLIFTON. Mr. Thos. Goodall, John Goodericke, Fran. Gardiner, Thos. Gooderick. SKELTON FREEHOLDERS. Sir John Brooke, bart., Fran. Wyvell, gent., Ric. Winn (ins), Dorothy Henry (ins), John Fosten-Clarke. WIGGINTON. Ric. Burton, doctor of divinity, John Radcliffe (d), Wm. Wyvell. TENNTS & RESIDANTS IN ACOMBE. Geo. Jackson, Wm. Kay snr., Geo. Nicholson, Mary Tillburne, Geo. Shaw jnr., Wm. Sharper, Geo. Shaw jnr., Robt. Walker (d), Matt. Leedome, Thos. Wattman, Thos. Slaton, Robt. Grainger, Thos. Woodward, Geo. Browne, Chris. Brenerton, John Bealebye. HOLGATE. Sir John Kay, bart., Wm. Dobbson in right of his wife, John Thompson, Geo. Earby (d), Chas. French, Margrett Lambe, spin., John Harrison, Robt. Atkinson, Margerye Pickering, Bartholomew Robinson, Thos. Hollingworth, John Williamson, Fran. Rudd, Robt. Gregorye, Wm. Garbutt, John Spence, John Robinson, Hy. Peckett, John Fairweather, Robt. Dickinson.

***Court Baron of Richard Blanshard, Esq., 31 July 3 William and Mary, 1691. Robert Ash, steward.**

At the court held on 19 June 3 Wm. & Mary [1691] it was found that Geo. Earby had enfeofed John Crowe, by indenture dated 18 June 1691, of a messuage, 2 oxgangs and 2 acres of arable land, meadow or pasture with 3 . . . [omission] belonging to 3 oxgangs of

meadow in the Ouse Ings in Acombe and lately belonging to Wm. Burdus. They were held by copy of court roll and were therefore forfeit to the lord. The bailiff, Thos. Hinchcliffe, was ordered to seize the premises for the lord and return the writ at the same court, which he did. The customary proclamation was made that if anyone could, he should claim the lands and tenements. No one did so then or after a second proclamation made on 10 July, or after a third made at the present court. Geo. Earby requested and was granted the forfeited messuage, lands and tenements, to be held of the lord by copy of court roll. Fine £20. *

***Court Baron of Richard Blanshard, esq., 1 June 1692. Robt. Ash, steward.**

Geo. Earby had surrendered on 3 April 1692 per Thos. Harness and Wm. Key, a messuage, barn, garth, 2 oxgangs of arable land, meadow and pasture, 2 a. of land lately in the tenure of Thos. Newarke and 3 appurtenances of 3 oxgangs of meadow in Ouse Ings in Acombe, lately of Wm. Burdus, gent., to the use of the said Geo. Earby and Hannah, his wife. Fine [unspecified]. *[Latin]

CALL ROLL. EASTER [April 16] 1693.

[(d) = deleted. (ins) = later insertion.]

ACOMB FREEHOLDERS. Robt. Salter, gent., John Bowcocke (d), clerk, John Blythe, Wm. Mealby, Thos. Pender, John Thompson, John heir (ins) mort, Robt. (d) Crow, Fran. Newarke, gent., Robt. Waller, esq. (d), Robt. Kay, Jane (ins) Thos. (d) Leedam, John Gowland, Mountagne Gyles. COPYHOLDERS IN ACOMBE. Hanna Earbie (d), Sir Wm. Robinson, bart., Hanna Blythe, Mary Blythe, Frances Blythe, Elizabeth Walker, widow, John Crowe (d), Elizabeth Williamson, spinster, Wm. Bellwood, Rowland Betson, Mary Lee, widow, Marke Daniell & Jane ux., Margaret Topham, Hy. Blythe, gent., widow (ins) Matt. (d) Vessey, gent., Robt. Wilkinson, heirs of John Lorryman, Peter Fowler, Wm. Gowland, Wm. Shippard, Thos. Hinchcliffe, Heires (ins) Geo. (d) Walker, Grace Sampson, Dorothy Crow, Kath. Acombe, John Harrison in right of Mary his wife, Edward Lorryman, Robt. Bilton (ins), Thos. Gowland, Thos. Hill, Wm. Mealbie, Thos. Harnis, heirs of John Hartley, Robt. Wharton, Robt. Kirk, Wm. Kay, Henry (ins) Fran. (d) Peckitt, Wm. Hill, Geo. Jackson & Grace ux, Abell (ins), Thomas Smithsone, Wm. Ellis, Thos. Bickers, Thos. Mettcalfe, Wm. Plaister, Francis (ins) Mary Leedall (d), Hy. Carr (d), Ric. Chapman, heirs of (ins) Fran. Thompson, Hy. Thompson (ins), Robt. Norton, [The next five in a different hand.] Stephen Bolton, Wm. Walker, Jas. Dilburne, John Acomb, John Blythman. COPYHOLDERS IN CLIFTON. Mr. Thos. Goodall, Jos. Leecke (ins), John (d) Goodericke, Walter Baynes (ins) Fran. (d) Gardiner, Thos. Goodericke. SKELTON FREEHOLDERS. Sir Jas. Brooke, bart., Ric. Wynne, Fran. Wyvell, gent., heirs of (ins) John Baynes, esq., John Clarke.

WIGGINGTON. Ric. Burton, doctor of divinity, Wm. Wyvell, gent. TENANTS AND RESIDANTS IN ACOMBE. Geo. Jackson, Mary (ins) mort, William (d) Kay, Geo. Nicholson, James (ins) Mary (d) Tillburne, Geo. Shaw jnr, Thos. Allenby (ins), Wm. Sharper (d), Jos. (ins) Geo. (d) Shaw, Matt. Leedam, Thos. Wattman, Thos. Slaton, Robt. Grainger, Thos. Woodward, Ann (ins) Geo. Browne, John Bealbie, [the next seven in a different hand] Wm. Kilburne (d), John Browne, Wm. Plaister, Wm. Jebb, Thos. Lowther, Matt. Johnson, Geo. Hare. HOLGATE. Sir John Kay, bart., Ric. (ins) William (d) Dobinson in right of his wife, John Thompson, Jos. (ins) Chas. (d) French, Margaret Lambe (d), John Harrison, Robt. Atkinson (d), Margerye Pickering, Bart. Robinson, Thos. Hollingsworth, John Williamson, gent., Fran. Rudd, Thos. Williamson (d), Robt. Gregorye, Wm. Garbutt (d), Phillis Spence (d), John Robinson (d), Hy. Peckett, [the following in a different hand] Stephen Boulton, John Fairweather (d), Robt. (d) Rob. Dickinson, Phillip War . . . ppe . . . (d), Robt. Harland (d), John Fairweather, John Peckett, Robt. Hardyke (d), Thos. Harvy, Hen. Young . . . d, . . . Sharper, Jos. Shaw, Roger Polard, Jas. Watson, Peter Hill, Ro: Hard . . .

CALL ROLL. EASTER [Mar. 24] 1695.

[(d) = deleted. (ins) = later insertion.]

ACOMBE FREEHOLDERS. John Marshall, clerk, John Bowcocke, clerk (d), John Blythe, gent., Wm. Mealby, gent., Thos. Pender, gent., heirs of John Crow, (ins), John Thompson, Fran. Newarke, gent., Robt. Waller, esq., Robt. Ray, Jane vid., (ins) Thomas (d) Leedam, John Gowland, Mountayne Gyles. COPYHOLDERS IN ACOMBE. Sir Wm. Robinson, bart., Hanna Earby (d), Hanna Blythe, Frances Blythe, Eliz. Walker, widow, Elizabeth Williamson, spin., Wm. Bellwood, Rowland Bettson, Mary Lee, widow, Marke Daniell & Jane, Margaret Topham, Hy. Blythe, gent., Elizabeth Vessey, Robt. Wilkinson, heirs of Geo. Lorryman, Peter Fowler, Wm. Gowland, Wm. Sheppard, heirs of Geo. Walker, Grace Sampson, Dorothy Crow, widow, Kath. Acombe, John Harrison in right of Mary, his wife, Edward Lorryman, Robt. Gowland, Thos. Hill, Wm. Mealby (d), Thos. Harnis, heirs of John Hartley, Robt. Wharton, Robt. Kirk, Wm. Kay, Hy. Peckett, Wm. Hill, Geo. Jackson & Grace, Abell Smithson, Wm. Ellis, Thos. Bickers, Thos. Mettcalfe, Wm. Plaister, Fran. Leedall, Ric. Chapman, Fran. Thompson, Hy. Thompson, Robt. Norton, Stephen Boulton, [the next five in a different hand] Jo: Lease, Wm. Walker, Jas. Kilburn, John Acombe, John Blythman. COPYHOLDERS IN CLIFTON. Mr. Thos. Goodall, John Gooderike, Walter Barnes, Thos. Goodericke. SKELTON FREEHOLDERS. Sir Jas. Brooke, bart., Ric. Wynne, esq., Fran. Wyvell, gent., John Baynes, esq., John Clarke. WIGGINGTON. Ric. Burton, doctor of divinity, Wm. Wyvell, gent. TENANTS & RESIDANTS IN ACOMBE. Geo. Jackson, Mary Kay, spin. (d), Geo. Nicholson, Jas. Welburne, Geo. Shaw jnr., Thos. Allonby, Jos. Shaw, Matt. Leedam, Thos. Wattman, Thos.

Slaton, Robt. Grainger, Thos. Woodward, John Bealbye, [the next three in a different hand] John Browne, Wm. Plaister, Wm. Jibb.

PRESENTMENTS. 16 MAY 1707.

All those who did not appear or soan at the court	..	2d.
John Harreson and John Acombe for their part of the common pinfold being not sufficient	.. .. 2s.	0d.
Wm. Thompson for his fence being not sufficient betwixt Holgate Lowfield and Acombe Lowfield	..	2d.
Robt. Kirke, David Croft, Wm. Peckitt, John Harness, Mr. Thos. Pinder, John Sampson, Robt. Gregory, Robt. Wharton, John Marshall, Thos. Lowder, Wm. Sheephed, Wm. Mealby, Peter Hill, Robt. Norton, Thos. Harness, John Beilby, John Browne, Jasper Blythe, for the like	each	2d.
John Acombe for refusing 2 horses from the common pinder	.. .. 3s.	4d.
Geo. Thresh for a fold <i>breck</i>	.. .. 3s.	4d.
Geo. Thresh for his wife being a hedge <i>braker</i>	..	4d.
Wm. Peckitt for his fore front and back front lying down	.. .. 6d.	
Eliz. Walker for stopping a water course at her moor land ends	.. .. 4d.	
Jonathon Ellis for turning his oxen on to the back green and not tenting of them	.. .. 4d.	
John Acombe for his wife turning two cows into Acombe fallay field before it was <i>broaken</i>	.. .. 1s.	0d.
John Acombe for his gate at Robt. Gregory back gate lying down	.. .. 4d.	
Robt. Kirk, Robt. Wharton, Robt. Wilkinson, Robt. Gregory for the same	.. .. each	4d.

JURORS. John Harrison, Edward Lorriman, Wm. Dighton, Thos. Harnis, John Blythe, Robt. Crosby, John Thompson, Tho. Hill, Robt. Wilkinson, John Gowland, Robt. Norson, Thos. Earby.

PAINES LAID. 25 APRIL 1711.

No fields shall be <i>broacken</i> without the consent of a bylaw and the bylaw <i>maisters</i> , upon every default ..	6s.	8d.
All inhabitants of Acombe make up their fore fronts and back fronts betwixt and the verdict day, upon every default	10s.	0d.
No geese shall go at either end of the town of Acombe, every default	6s.	8d.
All the certificates that hath been given for strangers coming into Acome shall be brought and entered into the Church book betwixt and the verdict day, upon every default	10s.	0d.
All the bylaw <i>maisters</i> that have been in Acome since the year 1707 shall give in their accounts at a bylaw betwixt and the verdict day upon <i>paine</i> of every default ..	10s.	0d.

None take into their house or houses before they give security to the town according to law, for every default

£1 19s. 11½

The constable of Acombe make the stocks sufficient betwixt and verdict day, upon default

6s. 8d.

None shall shear any grass but what is their own, every default

6s. 8d.

John Savage keep his road belonging to the Miln at Acombe and not go up furrows and over mens corn contrary to custom, upon default

10s. 0d.

PRESENTMENTS. 23 MAY 1711.

Jos. Shaw for putting a skabbed horse upon the common

3s. 4d.

David Croft for putting his horses into the fields at unlawful time

6d.

Jos. Shaw for the like

6d.

Jos. Shaw for denying to pay his *struses* being ordered at bylaw

1s. 0d.

Wm. Mealby for neglecting to *skower* his Clifton Acre

6d.

Wm. Shepherd for the same

3d.

David Croft for his Dale and Hinging Cliffe ends being not sufficient

3d.

Robt. Wharton for two doals

3d.

Jos. Shaw for his Dale and Hinging Cliffe ends being not sufficient

6d.

Elizabeth Blanshard for two dales not *skowered* ..

6d.

Jonathon Ellis for the like

3d.

David Croft for his fence being not sufficient at the gate that opens into Chappell Field

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Matt. Leedam for his back front being not sufficient

1d.

Wm. Plaister for the like

1d.

The church wardens for the Gell Sty gates being not in repair

1s. 0d.

Jo: Acombe for his croft fence being not in repair ..

6d.

Wm. Gryset for his back front being not sufficient ..

6d.

Thos. Harness for his fence being not sufficient at the gate that opens into Chappell Field

3d.

Wm. Wilson for putting his cow into the barley field

3d.

Wm. Gryset for putting his sheep into the barley field

3d.

John Beilby for the like

3d.

Wm. Gryset for his cow and his horses going *ith* barley field

6d.

David Croft for having his horses *ith* Carr and taking them from the bylaw *maister* and servants

1s. 8d.

John Acombe for setting an over stock in the Carr and Fallows when he was bylaw *maister* and not making an account to his partner according to custom

6s. 8d.

EXTRACT OF COURT ROLL OF THOMAS CONDON.
8 OCT. 1711.

Ric. Dobinson of the city of York, *linnen weaver*, and John Blyth of Acomb surrendered on 4 October 1711 per Wm. Sheppard and Rowland Betson a messuage with common of pasture &c in Holdgate and a close of land nigh Hallgarth and two oxgangs of land in the fields of Holgate to the use of John Richmond of Dringhouses.

Robt. Waller, gent., died seised of 4 a. and 3 r. of land in Acomb and Matt. Waller, gent., is his heir.

Robt. Wilkinson died seised of a cottage and 4 a. of land in Acomb and 3 r. in Holdgate and Anne, wife of Wm. [blank] is his heir.

Edward Lorriman of Knapton died seised of an acre of land in Acomb and Edward Lorriman jnr. is his son and heir.

SURRENDER. 10 JAN. 1712.

Wm. Mealby, gent., surrenders per Thos. Hinchcliffe and Robt. Walker 1 a. of meadow called a *Clifton Acre* in Owse Ings with appurtenances to the use of Wm. Stothard, grandson of the said William Mealby.

PAINES LAID. 30 APRIL 1712.

No fields shall be <i>broaken</i> without consent of a bylaw and the bylaw maisters, upon every default	6s.	8d.
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All inhabitants of Acomb do make up their back fronts and fore fronts betwixt and verdict day, upon every default	10s.	0d.
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No geese shall go at either end of the town of Acomb <i>greenes</i> upon every default	6s.	8d.
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All the bylaw <i>maisters</i> that hath been at Acomb since the year 1707 shall give in their accounts at a bylaw betwixt and verdict day	10s.	0d.
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None shall take any tenants into their house or houses before they give security to the town according to law, every default	£1	19	11½
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None shall shear any grass but what is their own, every default	6s.	8d.
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All inhabitants of Acomb that has any manner of goods that dies by <i>Caselt</i> ¹ do bury them in sufficient for fraid of <i>deseases</i> , every default	13s.	4d.
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Every one shall ring and bore their swine in the north side of Acomb, for every such default	6s.	8d.
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None shall shear any grass or <i>bate</i> any cattle betwixt the River oues and the mill gate, every default	10s.	0d.
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PAINES LAID. 15 APRIL 1713.

Every owner and occupier of land between Barbarah Headland and Mr. Marshall White Close shall be sufficiently ditched and scoured betwixt and 25 May, every default	1s.	0d.
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¹ Casualty.

All the fences betwixt the river Owse and Dringhouses Field of Acombe and Holdgate be sufficiently ditched and scoured betwixt and 25 May, every default .. 1s. 0d.

All occupiers of land in the Hobmoor shall sufficiently open their *Gripps* in their usual places betwixt and 25 May, every default .. 1s. 0d.

None put any stock of goods more into the Carr, Faugh or Ings of Acombe or the Hobmoor than they have a right to do, that is every single horse must be reckoned a gate and a half and two beasts and a horse three gates according to the old and usual custom, for every gate over stocked .. 5s. 0d.

Every person that hath any Kirkrood ends shall level them and make them sufficient for cart and carriage betwixt and 24 June next, for every default .. 1s. 0d.

The More land ends shall be all sufficiently scoured betwixt and 25 May, for every default .. 1s. 0d.

Shipton Gate be sufficiently scoured as a common water sewer ought to be betwixt and 25 May next and also that there be a sufficient way for carriage made over it, upon *paine* of .. 10s. 0d.

No common pasture be broken in Acomb without consent of a bylaw .. 5s. 0d.

The bylaw maisters shall not let or stock any more than four gates in the Carr and as many in the Faugh without the consent of a bylaw, upon *paine* of .. 5s. 0d.

THE JURY. Thos. Harnis, Hungerford Blanshard, Will Day, Godfrey Giles, Robt. [blank], John Beilby, Wm. Gowland, Wm. Gricett, John Sampson, Matt. Leadam.

PRESENTMENTS. 4 NOV. 1713.

All those who did not appear nor answer at the court of Ackcombe [*sic*] .. 4d.

Mr. Hungerford Blanshard for his backyard fence lying down against the cornfield .. 6d.

Thomas Harnis for over stinting in Hobmore .. 1s. 0d.

Thomas Harnis for inclosing Well Boake .. 1s. 0d.

John Richmond for his stile lying down against Hobmore .. 6d.

Will Grisett for fodering his horses in the town fields of Ackcombe after hay and corn was got .. 1s. 0d.

Robt. Kirk for letting his foals follow him loose in the corn fields when he led corn and hay .. 1s. 0d.

Wm. Shipard for the like .. 6d.

Geo. Catterton for tenting his swine in Ackcombe sikes unrung .. 1s. 6d.

paid in full

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JURY. John Acomb, Peter Hill, Wm. Gowland, Hy. Lee, Robt. Norson, Jonnathon Ellis, Wm. Dietton, Wm. Thomson, Wm. Peckit, John Sampson, Ric. Chapman.

SURRENDER TO MORTGAGE. 9 APRIL 1714.

Mary Lee of the city of York, widow, Hy. Lee of the city of York, yeoman, and Beatrix, his wife, surrender per Thos. Harness and Wm. Shepherd two copyhold oxgangs of arable, moors and pasture lands now in the possession of Hy. Lee to the use of Thos. Barker of the city of York and Anthony Knowles of Acaster Sailby, gent., to the uses expressed in an Indenture Tripartite made between Cath. Dixon of the city of York, relict and administratrix of Ric. Dixon, yeoman, of the first part, Thos. Barker and Anthony Knowles of the second part, and Thos. Dickinson of Stillingfleet, yeoman, of the third part, (the abovesaid Catherine Dixon is now the wife of Thomas Dickinson). The condition of the above surrender is that if Mary Lee, Hy. Lee or Beatrix, his wife, pay to Thos. Barker and Anthony Knowles the sum of £120 on 9 August next together with lawful consideration this surrender to be void.

***[No heading. Formerly attached to earlier membranes. Endorsed: Easter 1713, Mich 1713, Easter 1714, Mich 1714, Easter 1715, Mich 1715, Easter 1716.]**

On 13 Dec. 1714 Jane Thresh of Holgate, widow, and Geo. Thresh and Barbara, his wife, of Holgate surrendered per Thos. Harness and Peter Hill, a cottage with stables and a *helme* in Holgate and also a garth and right of common to the use of Robt. Kirk and Sarah, his wife. Fine [unspecified].

Thos. Harness of Acomb surrendered per Wm. Gowland, snr, and Wm. Shepherd: —in the Farr Field, 2 broad lands called *Pines* and 2 broad lands called *Gowdibottoms*, 1½ a.; in the Mill Field, 3r. called *Bittyme Sikes*, 1 r. at the Carr Nook, 1 r. called *Millstye*, 1 r. called *Longlandend* with 3 lands called *Lodgeleas*; in the Chappell Field 1 Loscar next to Topham's Land, 2 lands called *Lammingscrofts*, 1 broad land called *Wrangland*, 1½ a.; in the Beck Field, 3 Longroods and 1 Narrow Longrood next to lands of Hy. Blythe, with a Hen-thorn, 2 a., in Acomb to the use of Thos. Colton of York, gent. Proviso [in English], that if Thos. Harness pay Thos. Colton £40 (of which £30 belonged to Mrs. Hobson, deceased) with interest on 19 June next, this surrender to be void. *

***View of Frankpledge with Court Baron and Customary Court of Elizabeth Blanshard, widow, 13 April 1716. Hungerford Blanshard, steward.**

Jury. John Harrison, John Acombe, Thos. Hill, John Fearby, Thos. Cawood, Wm. Gowland, jnr, Hy. Blythe, gent., Wm. Day, gent., Peter Hill, Thos. Stothard, John Bealby, Joshua Giles, Robt. Gawthrop.

Fran. Clark surrendered on 11 April 1716, per Peter Hill and Robt. Walker, the Moor Land in Acomb Low Field adjoining Thos. Hill's land, 2 Overises in Acomb Ings, 1 a., adjoining Hy. Blythe's land; in Acomb Far Field a Midfordland, $\frac{1}{2}$ a., lying next the Narrows near Poppleton; 2 Scorbutts, $\frac{1}{2}$ a., adjoining lands of John Blythe; and Milldoor Close, $3\frac{1}{2}$ a.; all in Acomb to the use of John Acombe of Acomb. Fine [unspecified].

On 3 May 1717 [*sic*] Robt. Wharton and Mary, his wife, surrendered per Peter hill and Robt. Kirk, 1 cottage, 1 stable, 2 barns, 1 garden, 1 garth and 1 croft in Acomb . . . [incomplete]. *

***EXTRACT OF COURT ROLL OF ELIZABETH BLANSHARD.
16 OCT. 1717.**

On 5 Feb. 1716 Robt. Pickard of Appleton surrendered per Geo. Atkinson and Jonathon Perritt, 5 tenements in Acomb with appurtenances to the use of Elizabeth Harrison of the city of York. Provided that if Robt. Pickard pay the sum of 17 pounds 9 shillings with lawful interest on 5 August next this surrender to be void. Fine 30s. **[part Latin]*

FORFEITURE. 13 DEC. 1717.

At a court baron held 13 Dec. 1717 the jury find that Robt. Wharton of Acomb, yeoman, and Mary, his wife, and Robt., his son, did on or before 10 Dec. *comit* waste in and throughout that cottage, 1 stable, 2 barns, 1 garden, 1 garth and 1 croft and 3 Dales in Acomb Owse Ings, 2 parcels abutting on the river Owse and 1 parcel in the Fleet, and now in the possession of Robt. Wharton and are held by copy of court roll, by letting the cottage be uncovered by which the timber thereof is rotten and the cottage ruinous and by refusing to pay the rent (being 4s. 4d.) due at *Martlemas* last, whereby the said premises are forfeit to the lady of the manor. Therefore we find that the premises with their appurtenances are for the reasons aforesaid forfeited.

THE JURY. John Acomb, John Blythe, Robt. Kirk, Robt. Norton, John Richmond, John Hartley, Robt. Walker, Thos. Hinchcliffe, Wm. Elles, R . . . Maskill, John Fearby, Wm. Shepherd, Wm. Gricit.

[There is also a precept to the bailiff to seize the premises, dated 10 Dec. in the same terms as above.]

***SURRENDER. 4 AUGUST 1718.**

Hy. Blythe of Askham Brian, gent., doth surrender, per John Blythe and Wm. Sheppard, 2 messuages in Acomb now in the occupation of John Gricit and Geo. Wright and 1 cottage now in the possession of John Glent, and 11 a. of arable land with pasture *gaits* for 2 oxgangs in Acomb now in the possession of John Gricet, to the use of Thos. Blythe and John Blythe, sons of Wm. Blythe of Askham Brian and to their heirs. For want of such heirs then to the use of Hy. Blythe, another son of Wm. and his heirs, and for want of such heirs to the use of Wm. Blythe, son of the first named John Blythe

of Acomb, and for want of heirs of Wm. Blythe to the use of the heirs of the first named Hy. Blythe. *

*SURRENDER TO MORTGAGE. 27 DEC. 1718.

John Blythe of Acomb, yeoman, surrenders per Wm. Hill and Wm. Shepherd, 1 messuage, 1 garth, 1 croft, 2 barns, and 1 orchard, and 1 cottage, and also 5 oxgangs of land, and 1 a. called *Clifton Acre* in Acomb Owse Ings, now in the occupation of John Blythe to the use of Wm. Hotham of the city of York, gent. The condition of this surrender being that if John Blythe shall pay to Wm. Hotham £450 on 27 June next this surrender to be void. *

*SURRENDER TO MORTGAGE. 28 MAR. 1719.

John Bealby, jnr, of Acomb doth surrender per John Atkinson and Wm. Day, Henthorne Close in the Beckfield, 2 a.; 3 Overises, 1½ a.; 2 Cutbert Hill Leas, ½ a.; 1 a. in the Chappell Field; 9 oxgangs of appurtenances, 3 Carrgates and 1 Fallowgate, all in Acomb, to the use of John Clark of Kingston upon Hull. The condition of this surrender is that if John Beilby pay to John Clark the sum of £60 with lawful consideration on 28 Sept. next this surrender to be void. *

*SURRENDER. 20 APRIL 1719.

John Richmond of Dringhouses, yeoman, doth surrender per Geo. Atkinson and Wm. Shepherd, all his copyhold lands within the manor, viz. a messuage with common of pasture in Holgate, a close near Hall Garth and two oxgangs in the Common Fields of Holgate, *to such purposes as I shall nominate in my last will and testament.* *

*SURRENDER. 2 MAY 1719.

Chas. Pindar surrenders per Hy. Lee and Wm. Shepherd 1 acre of land called *Cowcroft*, now in the possession of Wm. Shepherd, in the Howfield of Holdgate, bounded by lands of Mrs. Crow on the north and John Harrison close on the South, to the use of John Shepherd of the city of York, yeoman. *[Latin]

EXTRACT OF COURT ROLL. 4 NOV. 1719.

JURORS. Peter Hill, John Acomb, Wm. Prince, David Croft, John Sampson Smith, Robt. Walker, Wm. Lockwood, John Gricit, John Sampson 'ith Gale, Joshua Giles, Thos. Gibb, Geo. Hare, John Bealby, jnr., Robt. Kirk, jnr.

THE NAMES OF THOSE WHO DID NOT APPEAR. Wm. Blythe, Wm. Deyton, John Pick, John Richmond.

CALL ROLL. EASTER 1724.

ACOMB FREEHOLDERS. Mrs. Ann Waller, widow, John Marshall, clerk, Hy. Hudson, clerk, Wm. Stothard, Ann Crow, spin., Ann Norton, widow, Thos. Catterton in jur. ux., Ann Harness, widow. COPYHOLDERS. Wm. Robinson, bart., Ric. Reynolds, gent., Eliz: Walker, widow, John Blythe, Wm. Blythe, son of John, Wm. Hotham, gent., John Bealby, jnr., John Shepherd, Edward

Fairweather in jur. ux., Thos. and John Blythe, sons of Wm. of Askham Bryan, Wm. Gowland, Wm. Shepherd, Eliz: Hinchcliffe, widow, John Hinchcliffe, John Harrison, James Shillitoe, Edward Lorriman, Thos. Hill, Hy. Richmond, jnr., John Hill, John Hartley, Ann Norton, Robt. Kirk, snr., Thos. Kay, Wm. Ellis, Wm. Plaister, Geo. Bilbrough, Thos. Cotton, gent., John Acomb, Fran. Newarke, gent., Thos. & Eliz: Ellis, minors of Jonathon, mort., Jonathan Benson, gent., Joshua Gyles, Chris. Gricit, Eliz. Gregory, widow, Thos. Clark, Wm. Atkinson, Thos. Cawood, Wm. Stothard. CLIFTON COPPYHOLDERS. Wm. Day, gent., Geo. Bowes, esq., Peter Arnett, Leonard Thompson, esq., Simon Fawcett his tenant. SKELTON FREEHOLDERS. James Brooks, bart., Ric. Winn, esq., Fran. Wyvill, esq., John Clarke. WIGGINGTON. Wm. Wyvill, gent. RESIDANTS INFRA MAN'. John Bealby, snr., Ric. Chapman, Geo. Hare, Ann Johnson, widow, Ellen Leeds, Geo. Woodworth, Joseph Pickering, Thos. Slayton, Wm. Deighton, John Pick, Chris. Sharper, James Watson, Geo. Norton, David Croft, Roger Doughty, widow Swallow, Thos. Stotherd, Wm. Thompson, Robt. Walker, John Prince, John Atkinson, Wm. Briggs, Geo. Wright, Thos. Etherington, John Glenton, Thos. Jibb, Robt. Broadbelt, Widow Turpin, Matt. Leadam. HOLDGATE COPYHOLDERS. Ann Richmond, widow, Arthur Kay, bart., John Gowland, Jonathon Benson, gent., James Shillitoe, gent., Wm. Prince, Wm. Hill, gent., John Fearby as tutor for his daughter Mary, John Shepherd, Robt. Gawthorp, Ric. Dallaymoor, John Petty, Robt. Kirk, jnr., Fran. Hully, Tristram Green, Wm. Wilson, John Plaister, Ann Plaister, widow, Jane Hill, widow, Edward Bell, Robt. Wharton, Wm. Bealby, Chris. Hops.

***EXTRACT OF COURT ROLL OF ELIZABETH BLANSHARD.
17 NOV. 1725.**

Hungerford Blanshard late of Acomb, gent., lately deceased, on 22 Sept. 1725 surrendered per Robt. Kirk and Wm. Stotherd, 2 cottages in Acomb with common of pasture and all other appurtenances then in the possession of Fran. Hulley, esq., and 3 roods of meadow in the Lowfield of Holdgate and 10 Doles in the Low Closes with appurtenances, to the following uses:— the 2 cottages with appurtenances to the use of Elizabeth Blanshard, his eldest daughter, and the 3 roods and 10 doles to the use of Frances Blanshard, his sister, under the condition *yet nevertheless upon the special trust and confidence to sell the same as soon as she shall think convenient and the monies arising from such sale shall dispose thereof to all or such of Hungerford Blanshard's children as she thinks proper and pleases.* Fine £4. 10. 0. *

***View of Frankpledge with Court Baron and Customary Court of Elizabeth Blanshard 17 Nov. II Geo. [I], 1725. Edward Wilkinson, steward.**

Jonathan Benson, late of York, gent., died seised by copy of court roll of 3 a. in Hobmoor, 1 a. called a *Clifton acre* in Acomb

Ings and 6 oxgangs of meadow commonly called *appurtenances* in Acomb Ings and 1 messuage and 3 a. 1½ r. in Holgate. Wm. Benson, gent., is his son and heir. Fine £20. *

***View of Frankpledge with Court Baron and Customary Court of Elizabeth Blanshard, 29 April 12 Geo. [I], 1726. Edward Wilkinson, steward.**

Thos. Kay of Acaster Malbis, brother and heir of Wm. Kay, late of Acomb, yeoman, surrendered on 29 April 1726, per Ric. Kirk and Wm. Stothard, a cottage or dwelling house with a garth and common of pasture, now in the occupation of Thos. Hill, son of Wm. Hill, deceased, to the use of Thos. Hill and Anne, his wife. Fine 65s. *

***View of Frankpledge with Court Baron and Customary Court of Elizabeth Blanshard, 20 Oct. 1 Geo. II, 1727. Edward Wilkinson, steward.**

Robt. Oates, gent., and Mary Shaw, spinster, a daughter and heir of Jos. Shaw, late of Acomb, yeoman, deceased, surrendered on 18 Aug. 1727 per John Marshall, clerk, and Wm. Blyth, a cottage and garth in Acomb with common and other appurtenances, now in the tenure of Wm. Varey, to the use of Wm. Wilson of Acomb, yeoman, and Anna, his wife. Fine 90s. *

***View of Frankpledge with Court Baron and Customary Court of Elizabeth Blanshard, 28 April 13 Geo. [I], 1727. Edward Wilkinson, steward.**

John Cass of Dringhouses, bridlecutter, and Anne, his wife, widow of the late John Richmond of Dringhouses, yeoman, Wm. Richmond of Dringhouses, yeoman, first son of John Richmond, and Nic. Sugar of York, gent., as trustee of John Richmond's will, in consideration of £98. 10s. paid to Wm. Richmond by Wm. Barstow, gent., surrendered on 18 Feb. 1726/7 per Wm. Shephard and John Shephard, 3 a. of land in the Intack at Holgate, being part of the customary lands at Holgate of which John Richmond died seised and which he directed in his will to be sold to raise the portions of his five sons, and also 2 a. in the *First Fur Shott* of the Lowfield at Holgate, and 4 doles or dales in the How Close at Holgate, farmed by Mistress Blanshard for 4s. p.a., being reckoned as the fifth share of the said Wm. Richmond from the lands appointed to be sold, to the use of Wm. Barstow of Acomb, gent., and Anne, his wife. Fine £6.

Wm. Ellis of Acomb, yeoman, and Wilkinson Ellis of York, tanner, surrendered on 28 April 1726, per Wm. Benson and John Gowland, a cottage in Acomb in the occupation of Matt. Leadom; In the Folly Mill Field of Holgate, ½ a. in the Breckon Hills; ½ a. in

Crabtree Flats; 1 r. of arable land; in the Lowfield at Holgate, $\frac{1}{2}$ a. of arable land; in the Chappell Field, 1 a. next to Hy. Blyth's land on the W. and that of Anne Crow, spinster, on E.; 2 Wranglands, $\frac{1}{2}$ a.; in the Farfield, a Pine, $\frac{1}{2}$ a.; a Melgate, 1 r.; a Markmoor, 1 r.; 2 Scorbutts, $\frac{1}{2}$ a.; a Stonebridge, $\frac{1}{2}$ a. and $1\frac{1}{2}$ r.; in the Chappell Field, $1\frac{1}{2}$ r. in the Sandlands; all of which land were in the occupation of Wm. Ellis, to the use of Geo. Gowland of York, artizan skinner. Proviso (in English) that if Wm. Ellis and Wilkinson Ellis pay Geo. Gowland £60 with interest on 28 Oct. next this surrender should be void. Fine 8s. *

***View of Frankpledge with Court Baron and Customary Court of Elizabeth Blanshard, 20 Oct. 1 Geo. II, 1727. Edward Wilkinson, steward.**

Anne Norton of Acomb, widow, surrendered on 20 Sept. 1727 per Thos. Hill and Thos. Harness, 2 a. and 3 r. of land scattered in the townfields of Acomb and all her rights there, to the use of John Hartley, son of the said Anne. Fine 55s. *

***View of Frankpledge with Court Baron and Customary Court of Elizabeth Blanshard, 17 Nov. 1 Geo. II, 1727. Edward Wilkinson, steward.**

Wm. Grycitt of Acomb, dish turner, on 21 Oct. 1727 surrendered per John Marshall, clerk, and Wm. Stothard a cottage and garth in Acomb to the use of Chris. Grycitt, son of the said Wm. Proviso (in English) that Chris. Grycitt should pay Frances Crycitt, youngest daughter of Wm., £4 at the rate of 20s. p.a. after Wm's death. If he defaulted it should be lawful for Frances to sieze the cottage. He was also to pay Mary and Margaret Grycitt, daughters of John Grycitt, deceased, 20s. each when they reached the age of 21 years. Fine 40s.

Wm. Grycitt also surrendered on the same day per John Marshall, clerk, and Wm. Stothard, an Overise, 1 r., between the lands of John Acomb on the N. and Jas. Shillitoe on the S., and $1\frac{1}{2}$ oxgangs in Acomb Ings and 1 Cargate in Acomb Carr and 2 Fallowgates in the Fallowfield to the use of Frances Grycitt, his youngest daughter. Fine 29s. 6d. *

***View of Frankpledge with Court Baron and Customary Court of Elizabeth Blanshard, 6 Oct. 4 Geo. II, 1730. Edward Wilkinson, steward.**

Wm. Atkinson, late of Newton-on-Derwent, yeoman, on 2 Feb. 1729 surrendered per Wm. Hotham and John Gowland a cottage with a garth on the backside in the occupation of Edw. Bell, to the use of Edw. Bell. Fine [unspecified]. *

***View of Frankpledge with Court Baron and Customary Court of Elizabeth Blanshard, 4 Oct. 2 Geo. II, [1728]. Edward Wilkinson, steward.**

John Hartley of Acomb, yeoman, on 8 Feb. 1727 surrendered per Wm. Wilson and Wm. Blyth a messuage in which Ric. Matterson dwelt and a garth in his occupation, also a garth, reputed to belong to the said messuage, in the occupation of Ric. Chapman, all in Acomb, to the use of Anne Plaister of Acomb, widow. Fine [unspecified].

Grace Ripley, widow, only daughter and heir of Wm. Weddell, deceased, surrendered on 17 April 1728 per John Acomb and John Beilby, the land containing about 12 square rods on which a dwelling house was erected by Wm. Weddell about 60 years ago, together with the house, to the use of Wm. Blyth and Thos. Harness in trust for the said Grace Ripley during her life, and afterwards to apply the rents to any public use for the township of Acomb. Fine [unspecified]. *

***View of Frankpledge with Court Baron and Customary Court of Elizabeth Blanshard, 28 April 13 Geo. [I], 1727. Edward Wilkinson, steward.**

Montague Giles of Clifton, brickmaker, son and heir of Joshua Gyles, late of Clifton, brickmaker, deceased and John Clark of Kingston-upon-Hull, who had a mortgage of the following land, at the request of the said Montague surrendered the same on 3 April 1727 per Wm. Shepherd and John Shepherd to the use of Wm. Barstow, viz:— 1 a. called *Owse Acre* in the Millfield with lands of Joshua Gyles of the W. and lands formerly of Anne Crow, now wife of Wm. Barstow on E. and 3 doles in Acomb Owse Ings, 2 pieces abutting on the river Ouse and another in the Fleet. Fine [unspecified]. *

***View of Frankpledge with Court Baron and Customary Court of Elizabeth Blanshard, 2 June 2 Geo. II, 1729. Edward Wilkinson, steward.**

John Hill of Acomb, yeoman, surrendered on 2 June 1729 per John Acomb and Wm. Stothard the croft lately built and enclosed by Edw. Fairweather for Ric. Bellasyse, esq., now deceased, to the use of Edw. Fairweather of Acomb, yeoman, and Margaret, his wife. Fine [unspecified].

On the same day Edw. Fairweather and Margaret, his wife, surrendered per John Acomb and Wm. Stothard $\frac{1}{2}$ a. Cargate and $\frac{1}{2}$ a. Fallowgate in the Owse Ings and West Ings, in the occupation of John Hill, to the use of John Hill. Fine [unspecified]. *

***View of Frankpledge with Court Baron and Customary Court of Elizabeth Blanshard, – Oct. 4 Geo. II, 1730. Edward Wilkinson, steward.**

Thos. Hill, snr., died on 26 Oct. last seised by copy of court roll of one messuage and croft and 2 oxgangs in Acomb. Thos. Hill, jnr., is his son and nearest heir. Fine £-. 15s. [partially illegible].*

***EXTRACT OF COURT ROLL OF ELIZABETH BLANSARD.
6 OCT. 1730.**

Thos. Blyth, John Blyth and Hy. Blyth, sons of Wm. Blyth formerly of Askham Bryan, yeoman, on 27 June 1730 surrendered per Wm. Hotham, gent., and John Beilby that messuage in Acomb formerly in the tenure of Geo. Wright, once held customarily by Hy. Blyth, gent., his uncle, deceased, to the use of Wm. Blyth, son of John Blyth of Acomb, yeoman, furthermore, Wm. Blyth since the surrender and since the last court died without issue and Mary Blyth and Elizabeth, wife of Wm. Abbey, are his sisters and co-heirs. Fine 26s.*

View of Frankpledge with Court Baron and Customary Court of Elizabeth Blanshard, 2 April 4 Geo. II, 1731. Edward Wilkinson, steward.

Wm. Abbey of Great Usburn, yeoman, and Elizabeth, his wife, John Sheppard of York, innholder, and Mary, his wife, surrendered on 9 Nov. 1730 per John Beilby and Thos. Harness the messuage and croft (in English, garth) lately in the possession of Wm. Walker and then of Geo. Wright, and Brick Kiln Close in the occupation of Wm. Abbey and John Sheppard being the share of Mary as co-heiress with Elizabeth, her sister, of the lands and tenements of the late Wm. Blyth, their brother, deceased. The property descended to the two sisters according to an amicable agreement made between them and their husbands and was now equally divided between them. They surrendered it to the use of John Sheppard and Mary, his wife. Fine 50s.

On the same day Wm. Abbey and John Sheppard and their wives also surrendered the messuage and garth in Acomb, lately in the possession of Wm. Wilson and then of John Petty, and 10½ a. of land in the fields with meadow and appurtenances, being the share of Elizabeth as co-heiress with her sister Mary of the lands and tenements of the late Wm. Blyth, her brother, to the use of Wm. Abbey and Eliz. his wife. Fine 50s.

Thos. Blyth, a customary tenant, was party to a feoffment with livery of seisin dated 15 April between himself, formerly of Acomb but now of Long Lane, West Smithfield, London, cabinet-maker, eldest son of Wm. Blyth, once of Acomb and later of Askham Bryan, yeoman, deceased, of the one part and his nearest brother John Blyth, of York, gunsmith, of the other. He had granted to John a

message and 2 cottages and 4 oxgangs of land in Acomb fields with common pasture called *Pasture Gates* and *Fallow Gates* which in 1718 were in the tenure of John Blyth, late uncle of Thos., and then surrendered by Hy. Blyth, uncle of the said John to the use of himself for life, remainder to Wm. son of John Blyth, (which Wm. outlived Hy. but died without issue) and in default of such heirs to the use of Thos. Blyth with separate remainders in tail and reversion in fee to the heirs of the said Hy. It was presented that the premises being customary lands held by copy of court roll the feoffment was contrary to the custom of the manor and the premises therefore forfeit.

John Petty, bailiff, was ordered to seize the premises, which he did in the presence of John Hartley and John Shephard. Proclamation was then made three times in open court that anyone who could should come into court and show reason why the lord should not grant the premises to Wm. Blyth, his heirs &c. The court then adjourned until 30 [?] April when the lord granted the premises to Thos. [sic] Blyth, no person objecting. Fine £18.

***View of Frankpledge, Court Baron and Customary Court of Elizabeth Blanshard, 13 Oct. 5 Geo. II, 1731. Edward Wilkinson, steward.**

John Gowland, late of York, innholder, deceased, on 26 Jan. 1722 surrendered per Hungerford Blanshard and Hy. Lee, $\frac{1}{2}$ a. called *Heck Roods* between lands of Anne Crow on the N. and How Closes on S., and another r. called *Heck Roods* between lands of Jos. Denton on N. and John Richmond on the S. in the Howfield of Holgate according to the intention expressed in his last will, and he died since the last court. On 30 July, before he died he made his will as follows:— [in English] I give and bequeath to Dorothy Routh, my niece, 2 half a. of land called *Heck Roods*, the land now or late of Mr. Barstowe . . . called Mr. Crows on N. and the How Close on S. also one other Heck Rood, the lands late of Jos. Denton on N. and lands of John Richmond on S. which lands were surrendered by me to the use of my will. Fine 50s. *

***View of Frankpledge with Court Baron and Customary Court of Elizabeth Blanshard, 6 Oct. 4 Geo. II, 1730, before Edward Wilkinson, steward.**

Margaret Fairweather of Acomb, widow, and Chas. Fairweather, her eldest son, on 5 Oct. 1730 surrendered per Wm. Stothard and John Beilby, a house, stable and outhouses and a croft (formerly 3 crofts) on the backside thereof in Acomb, lately in the tenure of Ric. Belasyse, esq., and then of Eleanor Hutton, spinster, to the use of the said Eleanor. Fine [unspecified].

Wm. Plaister of Acomb surrendered on 18 July 1730 per Wm. Barstow and Wm. Stothard, a small house . . . the message of Fran. Halley and in which Wm. Plaister then dwelt, to the use of him, Wm. Plaister, for life remainder to John Plaister, his son, on condition that

John should suffer his sister Jane Plaister, spinster, to have the use of the bed parlour next to Wm. Ellis's tenement for life, rent free. Fine [Unspecified]. [Partially illegible]. * [Latin]

SURRENDER. 3 DEC. 1733.

John Hill of Acomb, yeoman, on 3 Dec. 1733 doth surrender per John Sheppard and Thos. Harness a house, now in the possession of John Hill, standing on the Oxcroft end, south of the road leading to York, to the use of the churchwardens and overseers of the poor of Acomb as trustees of the poor by letting the same or putting in such necessitated persons as they think proper. The churchwardens and overseers to give an account of such profits as they receive for letting the same to their successors.

View of Frankpledge with Court Baron and Customary Court of Elizabeth Blanshard, held 31 May 1734. Wilkinson Blanshard, steward.

Nic. Sugar of York, gent., John Cass of Dringhouses, bridlecutter, and Ann, his wife, which Ann was formerly the wife of John Richmond of Dringhouses, deceased, 1 July 1732 surrendered per Wm. Sheppard and Hy. Richmond, jnr., 3 a. 1 r. of land in the Howfield now in the possession of Matt. Hudson, 3 r. in the same field and 3 r. in the Ings, 1 r. in the Intack in the possession of John Jebb and $\frac{1}{2}$ a. in the Brick Kiln Hole in the possession of John Cass, with all their rights &c to the use of Benjamin Richmond of Dringhouses, yeoman. Fine £8. 10. 0.

Nic. Sugar of York, gent., John Cass of Dringhouses, bridlecutter, and Ann, his wife, which Ann was formerly the wife of John Richmond of Dringhouses, deceased, on 1 July 1732 surrendered per Wm. Sheppard and Hy. Richmond, in the Lowfield $3\frac{1}{2}$ a. in the possession of John Hinchcliffe, $\frac{1}{2}$ a. and the Gravel Rood in the possession of John Jebb and $\frac{1}{2}$ a. next the Crooked Lands and 1 r. called the *Gravel Rood* in the possession of Matt. Hudson and $\frac{1}{2}$ a. between Acomb Moor and Holdgate Fields to the use of Hy. Richmond of Dringhouses, yeoman. Fine [unspecified].

Wm. Beilby of Howden in the county of York, wheelwright, on 13 Nov. 1733 surrendered per Wm. Stothard and John Beilby a cottage and garth with common rights and common of pasture on Acomb Moor to the use of Ric. Wilson of York, merchant and Eliz., his wife. Fine £5.

Thos. Hill of Acomb, yeoman, on 11 Oct. 1733 surrendered per Roger Overend and Thos. Hill, $2\frac{1}{2}$ oxgangs of land in the Town fields of Acomb, viz., in the Farrfield 2 Hinging Cliffs, 1 a.; Miln Forth Land, 2 r.; 3 little half acres; Milldoor, 2 r., a Pine and a Melgate, 3 r.; Skirbut, 1 r.; a Skirbut and a Longland, 3 r.; Appletree Stubbs, 2 r.; Goldy Bottoms, 1 a.; Stonebridge, $\frac{1}{2}$ r.; in the Milnfield, a Milnsty, 2 r.; Husband How, 2 r.; Bitt against the Hows, $\frac{1}{2}$ r., Bittyman Sykes, $\frac{1}{2}$ r.; 2 Bitts overway, 1 r.; Longland End, $\frac{1}{2}$ r.;

Longland, 2 r.; a Doodlebitt, $\frac{1}{2}$ r.; a Penytrain beyond the Millhill, $\frac{1}{2}$ r.; a Lodgely, $\frac{1}{2}$ r.; a Kirkrood, 1 r.; in the Lowfield, 2 Moorlands, 2 a.; a Holgate Rood, 1 r.; an Oxcroft, 1 r.; in the Beckfield, a Marr, 2 r.; a Longland, 1 r.; Collife, $\frac{1}{2}$ a.; Foulfur Land, 1 r.; School Broad, $\frac{1}{2}$ r.; Knaptongate Bitt, $\frac{1}{2}$ r.; Henthorn, $\frac{1}{2}$ r.; in the Chappellfield, Beck Bitts three narrows and a broad, $2\frac{1}{2}$ r.; a Golder Scar and a Loscar, 3 r., two $\frac{1}{2}$ a. Golderscars; Loscar Calf $\frac{1}{2}$ r.; a Lamy Croft, 1 r.; a Keyland and a Comon Balk, 2 r.; Hoes, $\frac{1}{2}$ r.; Sandylands, $\frac{1}{2}$ r., Weetland, 1 r., Gruntling Nook Land, $\frac{1}{2}$ r.; Middle Barrel, $\frac{1}{2}$ r.; a Wrangland, 1 r.; Barrily Dyke, $\frac{1}{2}$ r.; Bashleyhill Side, $\frac{1}{2}$ r.; 1 a. in the Ings called Overing; 1 a. in the Hobb Moor; 4 Carrgates and 4 Fallowgates and the appurtenances of 2 oxgangs in the Town Ing to the use of Roger Shackleton of York, merchant, and Elizabeth, his wife. Fine £17.

SURRENDER. 24 JUNE 1734.

Thos. Blyth, late of London, cabinet-maker, afterwards of Charles Town in South Carolina and now of York, son and heir of Wm. Blyth formerly of Askham Bryan, yeoman, deceased, surrenders per Wm. Hotham and John Beilby a messuage and 2 cottages and 4 oxgangs of land thereunto belonging with the Pasture gates and Fallowgates and all other rights &c. in Acomb, late the copyhold tenements of Wm. Blyth, late of Acomb, deceased, late cousin of Thos. Blyth, to the use of John Shephard and Mary, his wife.

SURRENDER. 23 NOV. 1734.

Benjamin Richmond and Elizabeth, his wife, surrender per John Cass and Hy. Richmond 3 a. 1 r. in the Howfield, 3 r. in the same field, 3 r. in the Ings, 1 r. in the Intack and $\frac{1}{2}$ a. in the Brick Kiln Hole to the use of Hy. Richmond the elder. Provided that if Benjamin Richmond pays to Hy. Richmond the elder £40 on 23 May next with lawful interest this surrender to be void.

EXTRACT OF COURT ROLL OF ELIZABETH BLANSHARD. 19 MAY 1735.

John Hill of Acomb, yeoman, surrendered per John Fearby and Roger Overend a Lamary Croft, $\frac{1}{2}$ r., in the Chappell Field, the land of Widow Sheppard on the E. and land of Wm. Barstow on W. to the use of Wm. Barstow. Fine [unspecified].

View of Frankpledge with Court Baron and Customary Court of Elizabeth Blanshard, 22 Oct. 1735. Wilkinson Blanshard, steward.

Ellinor Hutton, late of Acomb, spinster, by her last will, dated 5 Dec. 1733, gave her cottage or dwelling house, without any right of common, to her niece, Elizabeth Jekyll, wife of Thos. Jekyll, and Ellinor Hutton died seised of the cottage. Fine £12.

John Hawksworth of Riccall and Mary, his wife, on 22 Oct. 1735 surrendered per Wm. Stothard and Thos. Harness their sixth part of a cottage and their right of common pasture to the use of Chris. Redman. Fine 11s. 8d.

John Hill of Acomb, yeoman, surrendered per Hy. Richmond and Wm. Wilson a cottage, now in the occupation of John Hill, with common of pasture &c to the use of Thos. Catterton of Askham Bryan, yeoman, and Mary, his wife. Fine £2. 10s.

Wm. Collier of York, miller, and Mary, his wife, on 26 April 1735 surrendered per John Acomb and Wm. Stothard a cottage with garth, buildings &c, now in the occupation of Ric. Bland, yeoman, to the use of Thos. Slayton of Acomb, yeoman, and Mary, his wife. Fine £5.

Wm. Collier of York, miller, and Mary, his wife, on 26 April 1735 surrendered per John Acomb and Wm. Stothard a cottage with garth, buildings &c now in the occupation of Thos. Barrack and 1 Carrgate in Acomb Carr to the use of Ric. Bland, yeoman, and Mary, his wife. Fine £2.

Hannah Hinchcliffe, late of Kelfield, spinster, held by copy of court roll a third part of a cottage with common right &c in Acomb now in the occupation of Chris. Redman. Since the last court Hannah Hinchcliffe died seised of the cottage and Mary, wife of John Hawsworth of Riccall, yeoman, and Robt. Long, eldest son of Dorothy Long, deceased, are next heirs of Hannah. (Mary and Dorothy being own sisters to Hannah). Fine 11s. 8d.

CALL ROLL 1735.

[(d) = deleted, (ins) = later insertion.]

ACOMB FREEHOLDERS CALL'D. Ric. Wilson (sworn), Ann Walker, widow, John Marshall, clerk, Hy. Hudson, clerk (dead), Wm. Stothard (sworn), Mr. Wm. Barstow, Deborah Catterton, widow, Ann Harness, widow. COPYHOLDERS. Sir Wm. Robinson, bart., (dead), Robt. Reynolds, (sworn), Wm. Hotham, gent., John Beilby (sworn), (no estate) Margaret Fairweather (d), widow, Wm. Gowland (sworn), Roger Overend (sworn), Wm. Sheppard (dead), Thos. Varley (sworn), Thos. Catterton (sworn), Wm. Fowler, Thos. Hill, jnr., (sworn), Hy. Richmond, jnr, sadler, John Hill (sworn), Ellen Hill, widow, John Hartley (sworn), Benjamin Kirk (sworn), Ann Hill, widow, (dead) Thos. son of Wm. Hill, Robt. Ellis of York, Geo. Bilbrough (sworn), Thos. Harness (sworn), John Acomb the elder (sworn), Fran. Newark (sworn), Thos. & Eliz. Ellis fill Jonathon (heirs to), Wm. Benson (sworn), Chris. (d) Mary (ins) Gricett, widow, (sworn), Wm. Barnard (sworn), Chris. Sharper (sworn), Ben. Richmond (d) (sold to Mr. Wilson), Matt. Burton, (widow) Wm. (d) Collier, Wm. Allenby (sworn), Ric. Bland (sworn), Thos. Cawood. HOLDGATE COPYHOLDERS. John Cass, Mr. Darcy Preston, Ric. (ins) Wm. (d) Deighton (sworn), Dorothy Routh, spinster, (married to John Glenton), Wm. Prince (sworn), John Fearby (sworn), Ric. Dallermore, John Petty (sworn), Matt. (dead) Robt. Kirk, jnr, (d), Fran. Hully (sworn), Wm. Wilson (sworn), John Plaister (sworn), Wm. Hebden, Thos. Relfe (d), heirs of Edw. Bell, Robt. Wharton, Jos. Watkinson (sworn), Geo. Hare, John Jebb, Wm. Heels (sworn), (no land) Thos. Smith (d), (Mr.) John Dunning (sworn), Ric. Chapman, Wm. Ward (sworn), Wm. Abbey, Wm.

Subberon, Widow Ellis (married to Henry Mills), Thos. Allison, Wm. Dodgson, Geo. Gowland. CLIFTON COPYHOLDERS. Mr. Wm. Day, Mr. Wm. Bowes, Peter Arnett (sworn), Leo. Thompson, esq. SKELTON COPYHOLDERS. (mort) Sir Jas. Brooks, bart., Sir Richard Wynne, kt., Frances Wyvill, spinster, John Clark. WIGGINGTON. Mr. Wm. Wyvill, Mr. Wm. Lee. RESIDANTS. Ann Johnson, widow, Jane Clarke, widow, Mary Doughty, widow, Mary Swallow, widow, Wm. Thompson, Robt. Walker (d), John Prince, John Atkinson (d), Wm. Briggs, Geo. Wright (sworn), John Glenton (sworn), Thos. Jibb (sworn), Thos. Creaser (sworn), Ann (ins) Robt. (d) Broadbelt, widow, Thos. Slyton (sworn), Geo. Plaister, Chris. Redman (sworn), Jos. Kirk (sworn), Wm. Sowden. [This roll appears to have been used several times. The words and remarks in () as (dead), (sworn) are in different hands and all in different ink from the original list.]

SURRENDER. 19 MAY 1735.

John Hill, yeoman, surrenders per John Fearby and Roger Overend $\frac{1}{2}$ r. in the chapel field called *Lamney Croft* bounded by land of Widow Sheppard on E. and land of Wm. Barstow on W. now in the occupation of Jos. Kirk to the use of Wm. Barstow.

SURRENDER. 23 AUGUST 1735.

Wm. Hill of Easingwold surrenders per John Hill and John . . . a cottage with appurtenances, 1 Carrgate and 4 a. in Acomb, 1 cottage frontstead and 5 a. and 1 oxgang of meadow in Holdgate, and all other copyhold lands &c in Acomb or Houldgate to the uses of his last will.

View of Frankpledge with Court Baron and Customary Court of Elizabeth Blanshard, 1 Dec. 1735. Wilkinson Blanshard, steward.

Mary Shepherd of Acomb, widow, surrendered per Jos. Kirk and Wm. Stothard a Lamy Croft in the Chappell Field, 1 r., adjoining E. and W. lands of Wm. Barstow to the use of Wm. Barstow and Ann, his wife. Fine 5s.

Geo. Plaister of Acomb, tailor, on 8 Nov. 1735 surrendered per Ric. Wilson and Wm. Stothard a messuage and outhouses and other buildings with a garth and common right on Acomb Common &c now in the possession of Thos. Allison and Ann Robinson to the use of Frances Lumley of Bootham near the city of York, spinster. Fine £4. 10. 0.

John Hill of Acomb, yeoman, surrendered per Ric. Wilson and Hy. Richmond a piece of ground on the backside of Acomb adjoining the Geldsty on W. and land of Widow Fairweather on E. containing in length 40 yards from the high end and in breadth 9 yards, late in the possession of Wm. Allanby to the use of Doiley Saunders of the city of York. Fine 2s. 6d.

Thos. Harness of Acomb, yeoman, surrendered per Jos. Kirk and Wm. Stothard Lamy Crofts in the Chappellfield, 2 roods, adjoining

E. and W. on lands of Wm. Barstow to the use of Thomas Barstow and Ann, his wife. Fine 5s.

Wm. Barstow and Ann, his wife, surrendered per Jos. Kirk and Wm. Stothard a Butt Land in the Chappell Field, 1 r., adjoining on the land of Widow Waller on the N. and land of Mr. Hudson on the S. to the use of Thos. Harness. Fine [unspecified].

AN EXTRACT OF THE SEVERAL PARCELS CONTAINED IN
A LEASE GRANTED BY THE ARCHBISHOP OF YORK TO
ELIZABETH BLANSHARD. 1 DEC. 1735.

			A. r. p.	£	s.	d.
1.	The manor with all rights, members and appurtenances					
2.	The free rents of Acomb			1	16	10
3.	The copyhold rents of Acomb			12	16	10
4.	The Hall Garth and Brick Garth	2	2	0		
5.	Thos. Harrison's tenement and garth					
6.	Geo. Gill's do					
7.	John Tavener's do					
8.	Margaret Nelson's do					
9.	Thomas Birkate's do					
10.	Thos. Walker's do					
11.	The Windmill – Joan Plowman					
12.	Arable land in the Westfield, Boram Hill & Shorte Robins	12	0	0		
13.	Gelder Earing – meadow	2	0	0		
14.	Boxamminge – pasture	2	0	0		
15.	Golders Eare – arable	2	0	0		
16.	Chapler Lake – meadow or pasture	4	0	0		
17.	Colthalf do	4	0	0		
18.	Foal Furze do	3	0	0		
19.	Apple Tree Stubbs do	4	0	0		
20.	Mellgates do	2	2	0		
21.	Hanging Cliffs do	4	0	0		
22.	Long Lands in Millfield do	4	0	0		
23.	Husburn Howes do	4	0	0		
24.	Moorland do	6	0	0		
25.	East Land and Westland in Hob Moor	1	1	0		
26.	Rents held in Holdgate by copy of court roll					
27.	All the demesne land in Holdgate, viz all that close called Hall Garth in the occupation of Wm. Dodgson	2	2	0		
28.	A third part of a close near Hall Garth in the occupation of Wm. Dodgson	0	1	0		
29.	One <i>Plow Shear</i> in the occupation of ditto					
30.	A quarter part of Round Hill in the occupation of ditto	0	1	0		

31.	Hackley Garth in the occupation of Ric. Holdgate	1	0	0		
32.	Three <i>Plow Shears</i> in the occupation of ditto					
33.	Two parts of Round Hill in the occupation of ditto					
34.	Three <i>Plow Shears</i> with appurtenances in the occupation of Ric. Thompson					
35.	A fourth part of Round Hill in the occupation of ditto					
36.	One <i>Plow Shear</i> in the occupation of Wm. Dodgson					
37.	All that land called Round Hill in the occupation of ditto	0	1	0		
38.	The rents of the tenements of Clifton, parcel of the manor				4	7 7½
39.	The rents of Skelton				1	2 8
40.	The rents of the manor of Wigginton ..				1	0 0
41.	The rents of the Copyhold tenants of ditto				1	8 6
42.	The rents of ditto in Bowtham ..				1	6 0
43.	The rents of the moveable rents in Bowtham in price 99 Hens valued 2½d a piece					19 7
44.	All those perquisites of courts and other royalties				5	0 0
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AN EXTRACT OF THE SEVERAL THINGS EXCEPTED IN THE SAID LEASE.

1. Mines
2. Quarries
3. Felon's Goods
4. Goods of fugitives
5. Goods of felons de se
6. Goods of persons outlawed
7. All advowsons
8. All those lands belonging to the demesne of Clifton then lately demised to Edward Sawyer by Letters Patent from 1st Jan. dated 5 May in the 5th year of his reign under the yearly rent of £7. 18s.
9. All the said rent of £7. 18s. per annum.
10. All those cottages and lands in Clifton then lately demised and granted to John Eldred and Wm. Whitmore by Letters Patent from the King dated 28th Feb. in the 9th year of his reign at a yearly rent of 8s.

11. All the rents of 8s. per annum
 12. All woods, underwoods and trees, with liberty, ingress, egress, and regress to fell &c
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View of Frankpledge with Court Baron and Customary Court of Elizabeth Blanshard, 30 April 1736. Wilkinson Blanshard, steward.

Richard Sugar, gent., son and heir of Nic. Sugar, gent., and John Cass and Ann, his wife, Fran. Scholey, and Ann, his wife, on 11 April 1735 surrendered per Hy. Richmond the younger and Wm. Stothard an undivided moiety of a messuage in Holdgate and a garth and a close of meadow or pasture adjoining the house end of Wm. Thornton and $8\frac{1}{2}$ a. of land in the Folliman Field and Lowfield and 13 gates in the Folliman Field and Lowfield and 12 gates in Lowfield, Ings and Intack together with common of pasture &c. now in the possession of John Jeeb to the use of Jos. Hobson. Proviso, that if John Cass and Ann, his wife, Fran. Scholey and Ann, his wife, pay to Jos. Hobson £110 and lawful interest on 11 Oct. next this surrender to be void.

Wm. Green and Frances, his wife, on 15 April 1735 surrendered per Hy. Richmond, and Jos. Kirk 3 r. of meadow in the Lowfield and 10 doles in the Low Closes being the copyhold premises surrendered by Hungerford Blanshard, deceased, late brother of Frances Green, in trust for Frances to sell when she thought convenient and to dispose of the money arising to such of Hungerford Blanshard's children as she should think proper or to surrender the premises to any or such of them as she pleases, in accordance with which trust the said Frances and Wm. Green, her husband, did then surrender to the use of Dorothy Blanshard, spinster, niece of Frances. Fine [unspecified].

Mary Shepherd of Acomb, widow, on 24 Jan. 1735 surrendered per Wm. Stothard and Jos. Kirk 1 a. called *Cowlcroft* in the Howfield of Holdgate, the lands of Wm. Barstow on S. and of Jas. Shillitoe on N., late in the possession of John Shepherd, deceased, to the use of Wm. Benson of York. Fine £1. 5s.

View of Frankpledge with Court Baron and Customary Court of Wilkinson Blanshard, 3 June 1737. Thos. Wilkinson, steward.

Roger Overend of Dutch Houses in the parish of Nun Monkton, yeoman, on 13 March 1725 [?] surrendered per Wm. Hill of Upper Poppleton and John Acomb of Acomb all his copyhold messuages, cottages, lands &c. to the use of his last will.

Mary Shepherd of Acomb, widow, on 13 Nov. 1736 surrendered per Wm. Stothard and Wm. Wilson a cottage in Acomb, now in the occupation of Geo. Wright with appurtenances to the use of Thos. Cresser of Acomb and Ann, his wife. Fine 38s.

Chris. Grisitt of York, labourer, on 2 April 1737 surrendered per Wm. Stothard and Chris. Redman, a cottage in Acomb with common right on Acomb common, now in the possession of Thos. Barrick, to the use of Mary Grisitt, his wife. Fine 28s.

Thos. Harness of Acomb, yeoman, and Ann Harness, his mother, on 9 May 1737 surrendered per John Acomb and Wm. Stothard, in the Farrfield, 2 Medford Lands, 1 a.; 2 Little Half Acres, 1 a.; Long Lands, 2 r.; 4 Scourbutts, 1 a.; 3 . . . ues, 1 a. 1 r.; Gouldy Bottoms, 2 r.; Appletree Stubbs, 2 r.; in the Beckfield, Long Roods, 3 a. 1 r.; Henthornes, 1 r.; Knaptongatebitts, 1 r.; Holgate Roods, 2 r.; Oxcroft, 1 r.; in the Chappellfield, Gruntling Nook, 1 r.; 2 Loscars, 1 a., Wrangland, 2 r.; Sandyland, 1 r.; Gilderskell, 2 r.; in the Milnfield, 2 Owzeacres, 1 a.; 1 Millsty, 1 r.; Bittyman Sikes, 3 r.; Carrnook Land, 1 r.; Mill Land, 1 r.; Long Land Ends, 1 r.; Lodge Lees, 2 r.; all which lands are now in the possession of Thos. Harness, to the use of Thos. Cass of Scadlethorp in the parish of Moor Monkton and Elizabeth, his wife. Fine [unspecified].

Mary Shepherd, widow and devisee of the last will of John Shepherd, late of Acomb, yeoman, on 7 Feb. 1737 surrendered per Wm. Stothard and John Beilby 2 oxgangs of arable, meadow and pasture, late the land of Hy. Lee of York, deceased, and now in the possession of Mary Shepherd, with all the beastgates &c. to the use of Thos. Varley of York, baker. Fine £12.

Ric. Wood of Upper Catton, shoemaker, and Frances, his wife, on 30 April 1736 surrendered per John Bealby and Wm. Stothard, an Overice, 1 r., between lands of John Acomb on the N. and Jas. Shillitoe on the S. and 1½ oxgangs of appurtenances in the Ings, 1 Carrgate and 2 Fallowgates to the use of Robt. Wharton. Fine 17s.

John Glenton and Dorothy, his wife, on 20 May 1737 surrendered per Hy. Richmond and Wm. Day, 2 Heck Roods, 1 acre, lands of Mr. Barstow, formerly called Mrs. Crow's, on the N. and the How Close on the S., and 1 r. called Heck Rood in the Lowfield of Holdgate, now in the possession of Leonard Camidge to the use of Geo. Chapman of York, butcher, and Matt. Brown of York. Fine £2. 10s.

Court Baron and Customary Court of Francis Simpson, held 22 July 1737, before Samuel Waud, steward.

Wilkinson Blanshard of York, gent., was seised of 2 messuages, 4½ oxgangs of arable, meadow and pasture in Acomb, Gilderskell Close and Hobbmoor Close, late in the possession of Geo. Craw, and also 3 oxgangs of arable land late in the possession of Thos. Scadlock, Thos. Metcalfe and Robt. Ray by copy of court roll, and Wilkinson Blanshard had by his Indenture of Feoffment, dated 13 June 1737, granted, sold &c. the above premises to John Simpson of Fishlake contrary to the custom of the manor whereby the premises are forfeit. Proclamation was made for Wilkinson Blanshard to come into court and show, if he could, reason why the premises should not be seised. Wilkinson Blanshard, nor any on his behalf, came therefore it was

ordered that John Petyt, bailiff, should sieze the premises and certify to the steward at the next court.

Court Baron and Customary Court of Francis Simpson, held on 12 August 1737, before Samuel Waud, steward.

John Petyt, bailiff of the manor, had seized the premises of Wilkinson Blanshard as ordered by the precept. And a second proclamation was made.

Court Baron and Customary Court of Francis Simpson, held 2 Sept. 1737, before Samuel Waud, steward.

A third proclamation was made and the lord having seisin of the property of Wilkinson Blanshard, hath, by his steward, of his special favour granted the premises to Wilkinson Blanshard of York, gent. Fine £30.

View of Frankpledge, Court Baron and Customary Court of Elizabeth Blanshard, 14 Oct. 1735. Wilkinson Blanshard, steward.

Wm. Hill of Easingwold, yeoman, on 23 Aug. 1735 surrendered per John Hill and John Hartley one cottage house, one carrgate and 4 a. of land in Acomb and a cottage and 5 a. and 1 oxgang in Holdgate to the use of his last will. By his will, dated 3 Dec. 1735, he bequeathed to Wm. Driffield of Easingwold, butcher, and Wm. Catterton of Poppleton all his copyhold property to sell and the money arising from the sale to be put out at interest for the benefit of Mary Hill and Mary Driffield, his daughters, until Robt. Hill, his grandson shall attain the age of eighteen years, then Robert to have to his own use all the said money or in case the property be not sold he shall enter upon the said lands &c. Fine £22.

[This entry is at the beginning of a Roll mainly of Henry Masterman's time and is therefore out of date order.]

COURT LEET, COURT BARON AND CUSTOMARY COURT OF HENRY MASTERMAN 27 OCT. 1737. EDWARD WILKINSON, STEWARD.

JURY. John Acomb, snr., foreman, Thos. Cass, Ric. Chapman, Wm. Hebden, Jos. Kirk, Wm. Driffield, John Dunning, Thos. Harness, Peter Arnett, John Beilby, Wm. Barnard, Wm. Subberon, Ric. Deighton.

Mary Grycitt of York, widow of Chris. Grycitt of York, gardner, deceased, on 2 July 1737 surrendered per Wm. Hotham and Hy. Richmond a cottage and garth with common right and common of pasture in Acomb, adjoining the cottage of Wm. Barnard, and now in the tenure of Thos. Barwick, to the use of Thos. Gregory, grandson of Elizabeth now wife of Wm. Barnard, provided he live to attain the age of 21 yrs. But in case of his death before that age then to the use of Wm. Barnard and Elizabeth, his wife. Fine £1. 0. 0.

Fran. Newark of Huby, gent., and Mary, his wife, surrendered on 28 July 1737 per Wm. Day and Peter Arnett and Long Close Pound, 6 a.; and in the Chapell Field, 2 Whoes, $1\frac{1}{2}$ r., 2 Broads and a Narrow on Bashley Hill side, 2 r.; 2 lands at the Skew Balk side, $1\frac{1}{2}$ r.; 2 Gormyers, 1 r.; 2 Barrell Dykes, $1\frac{1}{2}$ r., 7 Loscarrs, 3 a.; a Gildersker, 2 r.; a Losker Calf, $\frac{1}{2}$ r.; in the Millfield, 5 long land Ends, $2\frac{1}{2}$ r.; 4 Long land Ends with a headland, 1 a.; 3 Lodge Leas, 3 r.; 2 other Lodge Leas, 1 r.; 2 Broad Lands at Carr nooke, 3 r.; a Narrow Land, $\frac{1}{2}$ r.; in the Beckfield, 9 Marrs, $4\frac{1}{2}$ a.; in the Low Field, 4 Holdgate Roods, 3 r.; in the Hob Moor, 3 Moor Land Ends, 1 a. and 1 r.; Hungry Bitt Nooke, 1 r.; a Headland, 2 r.; a Blotting or Bletting, 2 r.; in the Far Field, 6 Gowdy Bottoms, $1\frac{1}{2}$ r.; Stonebridge, 1 r.; 5 Mill Doors, $2\frac{1}{2}$ r.; together with all rights and appurtenances in Acomb, to the use of Geo. Eskrick of York, esq. Fine £22. 10. 0.

COURT BARON AND CUSTOMARY COURT OF HENRY MASTERMAN HELD BY ADJOURNMENT 12 DEC. 1737. EDWARD WILKINSON, STEWARD.

JURY. John Acomb, snr., foreman, Peter Arnett, Thos. Cass, Thos. Harness, John Beilby, Wm. Barnard, John Hartley, Jos. Kirk, Robt. Wharton, Roger Overend, Wm. Wilson, John Hill, Ric. Poland.

Margaret Fairweather of Acomb, widow, on 19 Feb. 1736 surrendered per Hy. Richmond and Thos. Hill all her part being a cottage house in Acomb as it is now enjoyed by her since the division between her and her sister Jane Daniel, also the garth, orchard and draw well with the common right and right of turbary and appurtenances to the use of Wm. Barstow and Jeremiah Barstow, his son, and to the survivor of them. Fine [unspecified].

Wilkinson Blanshard of York, gent., was siesed in Fee Tail by copy of court roll of 2 messuages and $4\frac{1}{2}$ oxgangs of land, Gilderskell Close and Hobmoor Close, late in the possession of Geo. Craw, also 3 oxgangs of arable land in Acomb late in the possession of Thos. Scadlock, Thos. Metcalfe and Robt. Ray, all of which premises were surrendered by Ric. Blanshard, great grandfather of the said Wilkinson, to the use of Ric. Blanshard, his son, and Elizabeth Froggett, his intended wife, which Elizabeth Blanshard has since died and Wilkinson is only son and heir of Geo. Blanshard, deceased, eldest son of Elizabeth. And being so seised, Wilkinson Blanshard in order to effect a voluntary forfeiture and seizure into the hands of the lord in order that the lord might grant the same by copy of court roll to Wilkinson Blanshard in fee simple, and in consideration of 5s. paid to Wilkinson Blanshard by Hewley Baines of Bellhall, esq., Wilkinson Blanshard did, by his indenture dated 22 Oct. 1737, enfeof the said Hewley Baines, which feoffment the homage find is contrary to the custom of the manor. The premises are therefor forfeit to the lord. Proclamation was then made for Wilkinson Blanshard, or any other person, to come and show cause why the premises should not be seized. John Pettyt, bailiff, is now comman-

ded by precept to seize the said premises and make return at the next customary court.

[Here follows a copy of the Precept to the bailiff with his certificate that he has seized the premises.]

COURT BARON AND CUSTOMARY COURT OF HENRY MASTERMAN HELD BY ADJOURNMENT ON MONDAY 2 JAN. 1738, EDWARD WILKINSON, STEWARD.

[The same jury as at the previous court. A reiteration of the forfeiture of Wilkinson Blanshard and the second proclamation.]

Court Baron and Customary Court of Henry Masterman, Monday, 23 Jan. 1738. Edward Wilkinson, steward.

[A reiteration of the forfeiture of Wilkinson Blanshard and the first proclamation at the court held 12 Dec. 1737, and the second proclamation at the court held on 2 Jan. 1738.]

After the third proclamation, made at this present court, Wilkinson Blanshard desired to receive the premises, and was granted them. Fine [unspecified].

Hy. Richmond of York, labourer, one of the sons of John Richmond of Dringhouses, yeoman, deceased, and Elizabeth, his wife, on 7 Jan. 1738 surrendered per Wm. Hotham, gent., and Hy. Richmond, jnr., sadler, $3\frac{1}{2}$ a., now in the possession of John Hinchcliffe, $\frac{1}{2}$ a. of pieces and the Gravel Rood in the possession of John Jebb and $\frac{1}{2}$ a. next the crooked lands and 1 r. in the possession of Matt. Hudson, in the Lowfield $\frac{1}{2}$ a. between Holdgate Moor and Acomb Field to the use of Robt. Norfolk and Jos. Norfolk, both of Copmanthorpe. Fine £8. 8. 0.

COURT LEET, COURT BARON AND CUSTOMARY COURT OF HENRY MASTERMAN, FRIDAY, 28 APRIL 1738 BEFORE EDWARD WILKINSON, STEWARD.

Wilkinson Blanshard of York, gent., on 26 Jan. 1738 surrendered per Roger Overend and Hy. Richmond the younger $4\frac{1}{2}$ oxgangs of arable land, meadow and pasture in Acomb, Gilderskell Close and Hobmoor Close, late in the possession of Geo. Craw, 3 oxgangs of arable land in Acomb formerly in the possession of Thos. Scadlock, Thos. Metcalfe and Robt. Ray with appurtenances to the use of Hewley Baines of Bell Hall. Fine [unspecified.]

Wm. Hotham of York, gent., on 22 Oct. 1735 surrendered per Wm. Stothard and John Beilby a messuage and cottage, garth, croft, 2 barns, outbuildings, orchard, and 5 oxgangs of land with the appurtenances, now in the possession of John Beilby, to the use of his last will.

On 1 April 1738 Roger Shackleton of York, merchant, and Elizabeth, his wife, surrendered per Roger Overend and Thos. Hill

all their copyhold property in Acomb to the use of the last will of Roger Shackleton.

Note. These last two surrenders were only brought into court to be lodged there without any copy to be made until the death of one of the parties they being now both in full health.

Court Baron and Customary Court of Henry Masterman, Friday, 19 May 1738. Edward Wilkinson, steward.

Wm. Day of York, formerly of Clifton, on 8 May 1738 surrendered per Thos. Varley and Hy. Richmond jnr., one messuage in Clifton with garth and croft &c, in the occupation of Robt. Fawcett, and one other messuage in Clifton with garth and croft &c. in the occupation of Tristram Kirkman to his own use during his life and after his decease to the use of Wm. Day, his son. Wm., the father, died on 26 May 1738 whereon at the court held by adjournment on 30 June 1738 Wm. Day, the son, was granted seisin. Fine £16.

COURT BARON AND CUSTOMARY COURT OF HENRY MASTERMAN, HELD BY ADJOURNMENT ON 30 JUNE 1738. EDWARD WILKINSON, STEWARD.

JURY. Mr. Roger Overend, foreman, John Fearby, Wm. Stothard, Thos. Hill, John Acomb, jnr., Chris. Redman, Robt. Norfolk, John Hill, Wm. Prince, Jos. Watkinson, Jos. Kirk, Benj. Kirk, John Hartley.

Sir Wm. Robinson, bart., in his lifetime held 2 cottages and 20 a. of arable land with appurtenances and half an a. in the Fettes; a little close leading by the Hall Place in Clifton, 1 r.; formerly the lands of Edmund Sandwith and Frances, his wife, also 1 a. of meadow in the Ings; $\frac{1}{2}$ a. in the Ridlands; $\frac{1}{2}$ a. on the tofts; 1 r. in the Long Wandles and 1 r. in the Short Wandles, formerly the lands of Philip Ash and John Oliver; 3 r. called Marshall Butts; 1 r. near the Cross in Clifton; a Clifton Acre in Acomb Ings, 1 a.; in the Wet Lands, $\frac{1}{2}$ a.; on the Wranglands, 1 r.; Sandwith Lands, 1 r., formerly the lands of Margery Weddall and Leonard Weddall, also a cottage and garth in Clifton; $\frac{1}{2}$ a. on Hobthrush Bedflatt; $\frac{1}{2}$ a. next the Double Dyke; formerly the premises of Wm. Williamson and Mary, his wife, and John Adcock and Elizabeth, his wife, and a cottage, barn and garden in Clifton, formerly of John Lambert, with all their appurtenances. Sir Wm. Robinson, before this court, died seised of the above property and Sir Metcalfe Robinson, bart., his eldest son and heir is also dead without issue, and Sir Tancred Robinson, bart., of Newby is his eldest brother and heir. Fine £50.

Thos. Ellis, son of Jonathan Ellis late of Acomb, deceased, now going servant to Edward Arnold of Tadcaster, for the better confirming of the title of Abraham Hollins of Rawden in the parish of Guisley, cordwainer, on 23 May 1738 (she consenting to pass such right as she has, as named with Thos., her brother, in the surrender

of Jonathan, their late father, to her brother's moiety, she having sold her own to Mr. Barstow) surrendered per Wm. Hotham and Thos. Varley, Thos. Ellis's moiety of a messuage with garth and common right also half of 10 Cargates and 10 Fallowgates, mentioned in Jonathon Ellis's surrender to the use of Geo. Eskrick of York, esq. Fine £3. 3. 0.

Court Leet, Court Baron and Customary Court of Henry Masterman, 24 Oct. 1738. Edward Wilkinson, steward.

Thos. Prince, foreman, John Prince, Ric. Chapman, Jos. Watkinson, Thos. Harness, Ric. Bland, Matt. Walker, Wm. Hebden, Robt. Wharton, Jos. Kirk, John Beilby, Wm. Barnard, Roger Overend.

Abraham Hollins of Rawden in the parish of Guisley, cordwainer, and Elizabeth, his wife, on 22 May 1738 surrender per Hy. Richmond, jnr. and Roger Overend that undivided moiety of the messuage wherein Jonathon Ellis, late father of Elizabeth, formerly dwelt, with half the toft and croft &c. also 5 Carrgates and 5 Fallowgates in Acomb which Jonathan Ellis surrendered to his three children, Elizabeth, Thos. and John, whereof John is since dead, a child, and Elizabeth and Thos. take the premises between them as surviving, which premises are now in the occupation of Wm. Wilson, to the use of Wm. Barstow of Acomb, gent., and Jeremiah Barstow, his son. Fine [unspecified].

PAINS LAID BY THE JURY.

That from Joshua Watkinson Garth End to the Moor be sufficiently ditched for every default 0 0 4

That all the field fences be sufficiently hedged and ditched betwixt and 31 of this month or for every default 0 3 4

That Benj. Kirk made his close fence betwixt Beckbit Ends and the Losker ends sufficient betwixt and 5 Nov. 0 6 8

That all usual *Grips* be sufficiently *Gript* betwixt and Verdict Day 0 0 2

That Mary Shepherd and Wm. Wilson ditch their water sewer against Mr. Overend's land to the Moorland Ends sufficiently 0 0 6

That the fence be sufficiently made betwixt John Beilby's Henthorn gate and Poppleton Ings betwixt and Verdict Day 0 0 6

That betwixt the River Owse and John Acomb's Stonehouse close the fence be sufficiently kept up hedged and ditched betwixt and the Verdict Day and so from time to time and at all times 0 6 8

That Hy. Mills keep up his backfront at all times and that he turn no cattle out at his backgate – not at anytime 0 10 0

That no person shall fold any sheep longer than 5 Nov. 0 3 4

That Wm. Wilson give in his accounts betwixt and Verdict Day 0 13 4

HOLDGATE PAINS

That the Breckon Hill be sufficiently hedged and ditched betwixt and the Verdict Day	0	6	8
That John Jibb face his hedge against Poppleton Lane	0	1	0

Court Baron and Customary Court of Henry Masterman, Tuesday, 21 November 1738. Edward Wilkinson, steward.

Ric. Sugar of York, gent., son of Nic. Sugar of York, gent., John Cass of Dringhouses, bridlecutter, and Ann, his wife, (which Ann was wife of John Richmond, late of Dringhouses, deceased, Fran. Scholey and Ann, his wife, (which Ann was daughter of John Richmond) on 13 Oct. 1737 surrendered per Hy. Richmond and Wm. Day their remaining moiety of certain copyhold lands in Acomb with appurtenances which were late in the possession of John Richmond and which he surrendered to the use of his last will and by his will appointed them to be sold or equally divided between his five children, Wm. Hy. Benj. Ann and Elizabeth Maria Richmond by Nic. Sugar with the consent of Ann Cass, his then wife. In accordance with which Will Ric. Sugar with the consent of Ann Cass together with John Cass, Fran. Scholey and Ann, his wife, did surrender the premises to the use of Jos. Hobson of Copmanthorpe, yeoman, and Mary, his wife. Fine £8 8s. 0d.

PRESENTMENTS OF THE JURY.

John Hartley for his Marton How fence being insufficient	0	0	2
John Prince for his Marton How bank being insufficient	0	0	4
Wm. Stothard for the like	0	0	4
Wm. Wilson for his Appletree Stubb Balk being insufficient	0	0	4
John Acomb, snr., for his Marrs being <i>ungripd</i>	0	0	4
John Acomb, snr., for his Henthorns being <i>ungripd</i>	0	0	2
John Acomb, snr., for his Knapton Gate Bit being <i>ungripd</i>	0	0	2
Thos. Slaton for his land end against York Moor being insufficient	0	0	3
John Acomb, snr., for his two lands against Hobmoor being <i>ungripd</i>	0	0	4
John Acomb, snr., for his Eyegoat against York Moor being insufficient	0	0	4
John Acomb, snr., for his land ends against Holdgate Moor being insufficient	0	0	2
John Acomb, snr., for his two lands in Hob Moor against Moorland Ends being <i>ungripd</i>	0	0	4
Wm. Stothard, Thos. Hill, John Prince, Benj. Kirk, John Pettyt, and John Hartley for their Holdgate Rood ends being insufficient each	0	0	2
The <i>bye</i> law masters for their Millgate being insufficient	0	0	4
And likewise Poppleton gate	0	0	2

Signed by THE JURY. Thos. Prince, foreman, John Prince, Ric. Chapman, Joshua Watkinson, Thomas Harness, Wm. Barnard, Ric. Bland, John Beilby, Matt. Walker, Robt. Wharton, Jos. Kirk, Wm. Holden, Roger Overend.

Adjourned to 10 January next.

Be it remembered that on 10 Jan. 1738 [1738/9] Henry Masterman, lord of the manor, by Edward Wilkinson, steward, granted to Wm. Benson of York, gent., a dwelling house consisting of one large room below stairs and a room over it with a back kitchen and an ealing over it and a little court yard before the door in Holdgate now in the occupation of the Rev. Ric. Warneford, clerk, the same being a customary tenement held by Wm. Benson and which Wm. Benson is hereby licenced to demise unto Ric. Warneford and Mary, his wife, for the term of 99 years, if either of them shall so long live, at the yearly rent of 40s. payable at Michaelmas and Lady Day by equal portions. Fine 0. 5. 0.

COURT LEET, COURT BARON AND CUSTOMARY COURT OF HENRY MASTERMAN, 18 MAY 1739. EDWARD WILKINSON, STEWARD.

JURY. John Hill, foreman, Wm. Prince, Jos. Norfolk, Wm. Wilson, Matt. Walker, Wm. Subberon, Robt. Wharton, Thos. Slaton, Thos. Milner, John Fearby, John Hartley, Jos. Kirk, Thos. Taylor.

Edward Lorryman of Arkendale, yeoman, (but late of Knapton), on 18 May 1739 surrendered per Wm. Barstow, gent., and John Beilby the Millfield Land and the Milforth in the Mill Field and Far Field of Acomb containing 1 a. to the use of John Benson of York, gent. Fine [unspecified].

COURT LEET, COURT BARON AND CUSTOMARY COURT OF HENRY MASTERMAN, MONDAY, 22 OCT. 1739. EDWARD WILKINSON, STEWARD.

JURY. Roger Overend, foreman, Matt. Walker, John Acomb, snr., Wm. Hebden, Wm. Barnard, Wm. Wilson, Thos. Harness, Geo. Hare, John Hill, Thos. Millner, Robt. Wharton, Wm. Stothard, Thos. Catterton.

Thos. Jekyll, esq., and Elizabeth, his wife, niece of Ellen Hutton, late of Acomb, spinster, deceased, did on 25 June 1739 surrender, Thos. Jekyll per Jonathon Fisher, deputy steward, and Elizabeth per Wm. Hotham and Mr. Wm. Barstow a dwelling house, stable and outhouses, also a croft (formerly 3 crofts) on the backside thereof, late in the occupation of Ric. Belasyse, esq., and afterwards of Mrs. Hutton, also all their right to a parcel of ground purchased or intended to be purchased of Mr. Wm. Barstow and appurtenances, and all other copyhold property late in the occupation of Rev. Mr. Nic. Morley to the use of Geo. Eskrick, esq., (present lord mayor of the city of York) and Jane, his wife. Fine [unspecified].

COURT LEET, COURT BARON AND CUSTOMARY COURT
OF HENRY MASTERMAN HELD BY ADJOURNMENT 19
NOV. 1739 BEFORE EDWARD WILKINSON, STEWARD.

Hy. Richmond of York, the younger, sadler, on 10 Nov. 1739 surrendered per Mr. Roger Overend and Wm. Prince a cottage in Acomb, now in the occupation of Mary Doughty and Wm. Broadbelt, with 1 Carrgate and 1 Fallowgate with common rights and other appurtenances to the use of Matt. Burton of Acomb, carpenter, and Ann, His Wife. Fine £5. 0. 0.

Thos. Cawood of Appleton Roebuck, yeoman, surrendered per John Acomb the elder and John Beilby an oxgang of land (about 8 a.) in the townfields of Acomb with appurtenances to the use of his last will.

Wm. Barnard sworn constable for Acomb.

Roger Overend, John Hill, Thos. Harness, Wm. Wilson, sworn affeors.

On 9 April 1740 Henry Masterman, esq., lord of the manor, by Edward Wilkinson, steward, granted licence to Wm. Day of York, gent., son of Wm. Day late of Clifton, gent., of letting to farm a messuage with two stables, outhouses and buildings late in the possession of Wm. Day the father and now of Widow Fawcett, with a fold yard or garth, an orchard and croft on the backside, with the appurtenances to John Earle of York, *gardiner*, for 21 years at the yearly rent of £12 payable at Mayday and Martinmas by equal portions. Fine £2. 2. 0.

COURT LEET, COURT BARON AND CUSTOMARY COURT
OF HENRY MASTERMAN 2 MAY 1740 BEFORE EDWARD
WILKINSON, STEWARD.

JURY. Wm. Prince, foreman, Thos. Prince, Matt. Walker, Thos. Cass, Chris. Redman, Ric. Chapman, John Doughty, John Prince, Thos. Cresar, Wm. Wilson, Wm. Barnard, Jos. Kirk, Matt. Burton.

John Marshall, clerk, died since the last court siesed of one cottage in Acomb and 2 a. and $\frac{1}{2}$ r. of land, in the tenure of Geo. Bilbrough, and $\frac{1}{2}$ a. in the tenure of Robt. Wharton, and Ellinor Bignall is his only sister and heir. Fine £4. 15. 9.

John Acomb, jnr., John Prince sworn bylawmen.

†COURT LEET, COURT BARON AND CUSTOMARY COURT
OF HENRY MASTERMAN 24 OCT. 1740 BEFORE EDWARD
WILKINSON, STEWARD.

JURY. John Acomb, foreman, Matt. Walker, John Acomb, jnr., Peter Arnett, Wm. Ward, Ric. Deighton, Thos. Harness, John Turner, Jos. Kirk, Wm. Stothard, Thos. Hill, Benj. Kirk, John Hartley.

Wm. Abbey late of Great Usburn, now of Wood Street, London, surrendered on 6 June 1740 per Edward Wilkinson, steward, a

messuage and garth, late in the possession of Wm. Wilson and now of John Pettyt, and $10\frac{1}{2}$ a. of land with appurtenances to the use of Hewley Baines of Bellhall. Fine [unspecified].

Matt. Kirk of Upper Poppleton, yeoman, and Mary, his wife, on 8 July 1740 surrendered per John Hill and Wm. Hotham a cottage in Holdgate in the occupation of Jos. Pickering and 3 Beastgates in Follyman Field &c. to the use of Jane Potts of Ackworth. Fine £1. 10. 0.

Wilkinson Blanshard of York, gent., on 11 Oct. 1740 surrendered per Thos. Varley and Jos. Kirk 8 a. of land in Folly Millfield of Holdgate being part of the estate of Ric. Blanshard, his late grandfather, viz. a Steelbutt, 1 r., the lands of one Rochmond on the N. and Jas. Shillitoe on S.; 7 r. the lands of Wm. Barstow on N. and Wm. Benson on S.; $\frac{1}{2}$ a. on the Bracken Hills, the lands of Richmond on E. and W.; 2 Long Lands, $\frac{1}{2}$ a., with lands of Richmond on S. and Mr. Benson on N.; 2 Broadlands and 4 Narrow ones, 4 a., lands of Mr. Benson on N. and S.; a Crabtree Land, $\frac{1}{2}$ a., Richmond on E. and Wm. Benson on W.; with all rights and appurtenances to the use of Wm. Benson of York, gent. Fine [unspecified].

Wilkinson Blanshard of York, gent., on 20 Oct. 1740 surrendered per Thos. Harness and Jos. Kirk a capital messuage in Acomb wherein his late grandmother Elizabeth Blanshard lived and died, containing six messuages and one cottage with all outhouses, barns, garths, gardens &c. also Pond Garth with appurtenances and a cottage now in the occupation of Jos. Kirk, with the garth &c. to the use of Hewley Baines of Bellhall. Fine [unspecified].

Geo. Eskricke of Acomb on 24 Oct. 1740 surrendered per Wm. Barstow and Jos. Kirk that moiety of a messuage frontstead with garth and common right also 5 Carrgates and 5 Fallowgates in Acomb, late in the occupation of Wm. Wilson and now of Mr. Barstow to the use of Wilkinson Blanshard of York, gent. Fine £3. 3. 0. †

**Court Leet, Court Baron and Customary Court of Henry Masterman,
Friday, 17 April 1741 before Edward Wilkinson, steward.**

Homage. Roger Overend, foreman, Wm. Prince, Matt. Walker, Wm. Hebden, John Prince, Thos. Jibb, Benj. Kirk, Wm. Wilson, John Hill, Jos. Hobson, John Acomb, Wm. Thompson, Wm. Barnard.

Wilkinson Blanshard of York, gent., on 29 March 1741 surrendered per Jos. Kirk and Benj. Kirk a messuage in Holdgate where Widow Thompson now dwells, and the Old Croft, 1 a.; Crook Lands by the How Close side, 1 r.; How Hill, 1 r.; on Gravel Hill, 1 r.; 3 p.; $3\frac{1}{2}$ r. against Poppleton Street; 3 r. in the Ings; 2 a. in the Intack; 1 a. in the Low Field; and all other lands and tenements of his in Holdgate to the use of Edward Thompson of Marston. Fine [unspecified].

Geo. Eskricke of York and Jane, his wife, on 27 April 1741 surrendered per Mr. Wm. Hotham and John Hill one dwelling house,

stable and outhouses and also one croft (formerly 3 crofts) late in the tenure of Ric. Bellasyse, also all rights &c of Geo. Eskricke and Jane, his wife, in a parcel of ground mentioned in a surrender by Thos. Jeckyll and Elizabeth, his wife, to the use of Geo. Eskricke and Jane, his wife. Fine £10. 10. 0.

Robt. Reynolds of York, clerk, on 27 Jan. 1740 surrendered per Ric. Wilson and Thos. Varley 4 a. 3 r. of meadow or pasture now in the possession of Roger Overend in Kirkrood Close in Acomb to the use of John Mayer of York. Fine £6. 4. 8.

Margaret Sheppard of York, widow, on 2 Feb. 1740 surrendered per Wm. Benson and Wilkinson Blanshard, in the Lowfield 1 a. between the lands of Hy. Masterman on N. and S.; in the Millfield, Husband Hows, 1 a.; in the Far Field, 2 lands called *Long Half Acres*; to the use of Hannah Glaisby, daughter of Margaret Sheppard and wife of John Glaisby of York, innholder, after the decease of Margaret, her mother.

†COURT LEET, COURT BARON AND CUSTOMARY COURT OF HENRY MASTERMAN 6 OCT. 1741 BEFORE JOHN WILMER, STEWARD.

THE JURY. John Hill, foreman, Wm. Stothard, Roger Overend, Wm. Day, Thos. Slayton, Jos. Kirk, Wm. Hebden, Wm. Wilson, Matt. Walker, Miles Robinson, Joshua Watkinson, Thos. Fowler.

Thos. Varley of York, baker, on 11 Sept. 1741 surrendered per Wm. Day and Matt. Browne, 2 oxgangs of land in Acomb with appurtenances to the use of Thos. Fowler of York. Fine £13. 1. 0.

Ric. Sugar of York, gent., son and heir of Nic. Sugar of York, gent., deceased, John Cass of Dringhouses and Ann, his wife, (which Ann was the wife of John Richmond of Dringhouses, deceased) on 21 Oct. 1740 surrendered per Wm. Day and Jos. Norfolk, gent., that undivided moiety of certain copyhold lands in Holdgate, late in the possession of John Richmond, to the use of Jos. Hobson of Copmanthorpe, on condition that if John Cass and Ann, his wife, pay to Jos. Hobson the sum of £120 with lawful consideration on 21 April next this surrender to be void. Jos. Hobson admitted tenant. [Note in the margin:— Fine remitted by the lord].

Wm. Benson, gent., before his death, on 26 Sept. last, surrendered per Wm. Day and Matt. Brown all his copyhold tenements and hereditaments in Acomb with appurtenances to the use of his last will. †

†COURT BARON AND CUSTOMARY COURT OF HENRY MASTERMAN HELD BY ADJOURNMENT ON 5 NOV. 1741 BEFORE JOHN WILMER, STEWARD.

Ric. Sugar of York, gent., John Cass of Dringhouses, bridle cutter, and Ann, his wife, surrendered on 9 Aug. 1741 per Mr. Wm. Day and Jos. Norfolk that undivided moiety of certain copyhold lands in Holdgate (the other moiety belonging to Ann Richmond,

who married Fran. Scholey, being before purchased by Jos. Hobson of Copmanthorpe) which copyhold lands were in the possession of John Richmond, deceased, and surrendered by him to the uses of his will by which he appointed the same to be sold or equally divided between his children Wm. Hy. Benj. and Elizabeth Maria, to the use of Joseph Hobson of Copmanthorpe and Mary, his wife. Fine £16. 5. 6.

Ann Benson, widow, mother of Wm. Benson, gent., deceased, produced the will of Wm. Benson, deceased, dated 6 Sept. 1741, by which he gave his copyhold property to Ann Benson, his mother, and directed that his mother should not dispose of the property except to his brothers and sisters or their children and after the death of his mother the property to be divided equally among them. Fine £165. 2. 0. †

†COURT LEET, COURT BARON AND CUSTOMARY COURT OF HENRY MASTERMAN 27 APRIL 1742 BEFORE JOHN WILMER, STEWARD.

JURY. Thos. Harness, foreman, Wm. Ward, Thos. Cass, Thos. Prince, Wm. Prince, Jos. Kirke, Ric. Bland, Ric. Chapman, Chris. Redman, Hy. Bewlay, John Acomb, Ric. Deighton, Thos. Blackburn, John Bealby.

Wm. Williamson of York, weaver, and Margaret, his wife, on 5 Dec. 1741 surrendered per Jos. Kirke and Wm. Stothard an undivided moiety of a cottage and garth with common right in Acomb, now in the occupation of Geo. Wright, to the use of Edward Thompson of Marston. Fine [unspecified].

Roger Overend on 12 Dec. 1741 surrendered per Matt. Burton and Thos. Fowler that cottage piece of ground with one cottage right abutting on the barn of Margaret Shepherd, widow, on the W. and in breadth eastward toward the house of Roger Overend 13 yds. and from the king's highway on the N. Southwards 24½ yds. and adjoining a croft of Roger Overend's on S. with appurtenances to the use of Hy. Dryden of York, gent., it being agreed that Roger Overend should have liberty to build any wall adjoining to any wall that Hy. Dryden should erect at the extent of the 13 yds. eastwards. Fine 15s.

Margaret Shepherd of York, widow, on 22 Feb. 1741 per Wm. Day, gent., and Matt. Brown, gardener, a messuage with barn and garth with common of pasture and 2 Carrgates and 2 pasturegates and a parcel of ground whereon a barn formerly stood and 1 foot of ground without the *Eave Dropping* towards the West and the right to turn a draught and bring in goods at the gate with 2 Carrgates and 2 Fieldgates and all her other land and hereditaments to the use of Margaret Shepherd during her life and after her decease to the use of Wm. Shepherd of York, flaxdresser, he paying to my grand daughter Elizabeth Shepherd, eldest daughter of my late son John Shepherd, £10 when she attains the age of 21 years and to her sister Joan or Johanna Shepherd £60 when she attains the age of 21 years

and if the eldest daughter die before the said age without issue then the £10 to go to her sister Joan or Johanna and if she die before her said age without issue then £20 of the said £60 to be paid to Elizabeth. Fine [unspecified].

Wm. Barstow, gent., surrendered on 12 Sept. 1741 per Jos. Kirke and Thos. Hill, with the concurrence of Ann, his wife, all his copyhold lands and tenements in Acomb with their appurtenances to the use of Ann, his wife, and Jeremiah, his son. Fine £16. 8. 6. †

†COURT LEET, COURT BARON AND CUSTOMARY COURT OF HENRY MASTERMAN HELD BY ADJOURNMENT ON 28 MAY 1742 BEFORE JOHN WILMER, STEWARD.

HOMAGE. Thos. Harness, foreman, Wm. Ward, Thos. Cass, Thos. Prince, Wm. Prince, Jos. Kirke, Ric. Bland, Ric. Chapman, Chris. Redman, Hy. Bewley, John Acomb the Younger, Ric. Deighton, Thos. Blackburne, John Bealby.

Frances Lumley of York, spinster, is dead and she died seised of a messuage and outhouses and buildings with a garth and common right on Acomb Common, and on 17 July 1736 she surrendered per Roger Overend and John Acomb the elder her property to the use of her last will. And by her will, dated 16 Nov. 1740 she left all her copyhold estate to her sister Elizabeth Lumley, spinster. Fine £7. 0. 0.

Geo. Gowland of York, artisan skinner, is dead and he died seised by copy of court roll, subject to the equity of redemption of the same on the payment of £60 and lawful interest to him by Wm. Ellis and Wilkinson Ellis, deceased at a day long since past, of a cottage with appurtenances, late in the occupation of Hy. Leadom and now of Hy. Mills, in the Folly Mill field of Holdgate, $\frac{1}{2}$ a. on Breckon hills; $\frac{1}{2}$ a. in Crabtree flatts; 1 r. in the same field; $\frac{1}{2}$ a. in the Lowfield of Holdgate; in the Chappellfield, 1 a. next the land of Hy. Blyth on W. and Mr. Barstow on E.; 2 Wranglands, $\frac{1}{2}$ a.; in the Farfield a Pine, $\frac{1}{2}$ a.; a Melgate, 1 r.; a Markmoor, 1 r.; 2 Scorbutts, $\frac{1}{2}$ a.; a Losker Calves, $1\frac{1}{2}$ r.; the Stonebridge, $\frac{1}{2}$ a.; and in Sandlands in Chappel field $1\frac{1}{2}$ r.; and Geo. Gowland is his son and heir. [Note in the margin, Fine remitted].

Wilkinson Ellis is dead and at his death he was intitled to the equity of redemption of the lands and premises Geo. Gowland, the father, died seised of and Robt. Ellis, his son and heir, is since dead and Wm. Ellis of York, baker, is his brother and heir.

Robt. Ellis died about 5 years ago and he died seised of in the Farfield, Milldoors, 1 a.; Golden Burroughs, $\frac{1}{2}$ a.; in the Bechfield, Colts Half Acres, 1 a.; in the Millfield, Mill Lands, 1 a.; in the Chappellfield, Gruntling Nook, $1\frac{1}{2}$ r.; a Barrel Dyke, $\frac{1}{2}$ r.; in Middle Barrel, $\frac{1}{2}$ r.; Sandylands, 1 r.; 2 Whoes, 1 r.; Hoy Lands, 1 r.; Weetlands, 1 r.; now in the possession of Wm. Wilson, and Wm. Ellis of York, baker, is his heir. [Note in the margin, Fine Remitted.]

Ric. Wilson, gent., is lately dead and he died seised of 5½ a. in the fields and in the Ings of Holdgate and his brother, Nat. Wilson of York, merchant, is his heir. Fine £8. 10. 0.

This day first proclamation made for tenants to pay their copyhold rents, take their copy and pay their fines on pain of forfeiting their estates.

John Acomb, snr., John Prince, affeorsers. †

Court Leet, Court Baron and Customary Court of Henry Masterman, Friday, 22 Oct. 1742. John Wilmer, steward.

Homage. Roger Overend, foreman, Wm. Stothard, Ric. Bland, Robt. Wharton, Jos. Kirke, Thos. Slayton, Joshua Watkinson, Matt. Walker, Wm. Wilson, Geo. Bilbrough, Thos. Cresser, Wm. Hebden, John Hill, Hy. Bewlay.

Elizabeth Lumley of York, spinster, on 8 June 1742 surrendered per Roger Overend and Matt. Burton a messuage and outbuildings, a garth and common right &c. to the uses of her last will.

Ric. Wilson, merchant, is lately dead and besides what other estate he was found by a former jury to have died seised of, the said Ric. died seised of a messuage and garth, now in the possession of Nat. Wilson, his brother, with of common on Acomb Common &c. and purchased of Wm. Bealby to the use of Ric. Wilson and Elizabeth, his wife. Elizabeth, surviving Ric. Wilson, is intituled to the same for and during her natural life.

Court Leet, Court Baron and Customary Court of Henry Masterman held by adjournment on Monday 8 Nov. 1742. John Wilmer, steward.

Wm. Day, gent., on 12 June 1742 surrendered per John Hill, gent., and Jos. Kirke all his customary messuages, lands and tenements &c. in Clifton to such uses as he hath already directed by his last will.

Court Leet, Court Baron and Customary Court of Henry Masterman, Friday, 15 April 1743 before John Wilmer, steward.

Homage. Thos. Prince, foreman, Wm. Prince, Thos. Blackburn, Thos. Harness, Jos. Kirke, Chris. Redman, Thos. Fowler, Fran. Shorton, Wm. Sanderson, Robt. Darby, Ric. Deighton, Thos. Cass, John Beilby, Wm. Thompson.

Geo. Gowland of York, artisan skinner, and Wm. Ellis of York, baker, on 26 Mch. 1743 surrendered per Wm. Stothard and Jos. Kirke one cottage in Acomb, late in the occupation of Henry Leadam and now of Hy. Mills, in the Folloy Millfield of Holdgate, ½ a. in Breckon Hills; ½ a. in Crabtree Flats; 1 r. arable; in the Lowfield, ½ a.; in the Chappell Field of Acomb, 1 a., next the land of Hy. Blyth

on the W. and Mr. Barstow on the E.; $\frac{1}{2}$ a. called *Wranglands*; in the Farrfield, a Pine, $\frac{1}{2}$ a.; a Melgate, 1 r.; a Mark Moor, 1 r.; 2 Scarbutts, $\frac{1}{2}$ a.; a Loscar Calves in the Chappell Field, $1\frac{1}{2}$ r.; $\frac{1}{2}$ a. in the Stonebridge in Farr Field; $1\frac{1}{2}$ r. in Sandlands in Chappell Field now in the occupation of Widow Ellis and Wm. Wilsom; in the Farrfield a Milldoor, 1 a.; a Golden Burroughs, $\frac{1}{2}$ a.; 2 Colly half a. in the Beckfield, 1 a.; Mill Lands in the Millfield, 1 a.; in the Chappell Field, Gruntling Nook, $1\frac{1}{2}$ r.; Barrel Dyke, $\frac{1}{2}$ r.; a Middle Barrel, $\frac{1}{2}$ r.; Sandylands, 1 r.; 2 Whees, 1 r.; Key Lands, 1 r.; Weetlands, now in the occupation of Wm. Wilson, 1 r.; and all other copyhold lands of theirs to the use of Wm. Jackson of York, gent. Fine [unspecified].

Wilkinson Blanshard of York, gent., on 12 Feb. 1742 surrendered per Jos. Kirke and Ric. Bland that moiety (as yet undivided) of a messuage in Acomb with a garth and right of common and 5 Carr-gates and 5 Fallowgates, all of which were in the occupation of Wm. Barstow, deceased, and now in the occupation of Thos. Hill, to the use of Ann Barstow of Acomb, widow. Fine £4.

Wm. Collier of York, *millner*, is dead and he died seised of a cottage with a garth and common right &c. then in the occupation of Widow Turpin, deceased, and now in the possession of Fran. Shorton. Wm. Collier of York, whitesmith, grandson of Wm. Collier, deceased, is heir. Fine £1. 16. 0.

† A declaration by Wm. Jackson of York, gent., that in the foregoing surrender by Geo. Gowland of York, artisan skinner, and Wm. Ellis of York, baker, the said Wm. Jackson acted for and on behalf of Henry Masterman, lord of the manor, who paid £82. 9. 0 to Wm. Gowland and £57. 11. 0 to Wm. Ellis for their respective portions of the Copyhold. †

Court Leet, Court Baron and Customary Court of Henry Masterman, 10 Oct. 1743 before John Wilmer, steward.

Homage. Wm. Stothard, foreman, Wm. Ward, Wm. Day, Thos. Catterton, Robt. Norfolk, Jos. Norfolk, Matt. Walker, Wm. Wilson, Ric. Bland, Benj. Kirke, Thos. Hill, Thos. Harness, Thos. Slayton, Ric. Chapman.

Jane Potts of Ackworth, spinster, on 2 Aug. 1743 surrendered per Wm. Hotham and Thos. Fowler a cottage in Holdgate, late in the occupation of Jos. Pickering, and 3 beastgates in Folleman Field and common right &c. to the use of Ric. Warneford of York, clerk, and Mary, his wife. Fine £2. 5. 0.

Peter Arnet of Clifton, yeoman, is dead and he died seised of a messuage, garden, orchard and croft in Clifton. Before he died on 12 Oct. 1742 he surrendered per Wm. Day and Thos. Fowler the above property to the use of his will. On 22 Feb. 1742 he made his will and bequeathed the property to his wife, Elizabeth, subject to her paying £20 to his nephew Geo. Hewitt and £10 to his sister, Dorothy Hewitt. Fine £8. 5. 0.

Wilkinson Blanshard of York, gent., on 12 Feb. 1742 surrendered per Jos. Kirke and Ric. Bland 2 messuages with their rights in

Acomb, late in the occupation of Benj. Kirke and now in the occupation of Luke Thompson, to the use of Wm. Gossip of Skelton on the condition that if Wilkinson Blanshard pay to Wm. Gossip the sum of £150 with interest at £4. 10s. a hundred by the year this surrender to be void. And whereas the £150 has not been paid the estate of Wm. Gossip in the property becomes absolute. Fine £13. 10. 0.

Wm. Collier of York, whitesmith, on 10 Oct. 1743 surrendered per Jos. Kirke and John Hartley a cottage with a garth, common right &c. late in the occupation of Widow Turpin and now in the occupation of Fran. Shorton to the use of Thos. Milner of Acomb, cordwainer, and Elizabeth, his wife. Fine 40s.

Ann Benson of York, widow, on 15 Mch. 1742/3 surrendered per Jos. Kirke and Thos. Harness 2 messuages in Holdgate and 2 messuage Fronts with all her closes, lands &c. in Holdgate or within the manor to the use of the said Ann Benson during her life and after her decease to the use of John Allanson of York, grocer, her son-in-law, and Ann Benson, her daughter.

Court Leet, Court Baron and Customary Court of Henry Masterman held by adjournment on Monday 7 Nov. 1743 before John Wilmer, steward.

Homage. Wm. Stothard, foreman, Wm. Ward, Wm. Day, Thos. Catterton, Robt. Norfolk, Jos. Norfolk, Matt. Walker, Ric. Bland, Benj. Kirke, Thos. Hill, Wm. Wilson, Thos. Harness, Thos. Slayton, Ric. Chapman.

Hy. Dryden, gent., on 8 Aug. 1742 surrendered per Roger Overend and John Beilby that frontstead or cottage piece of ground with one cottage right adjoining the barn of Margaret Shepherd, widow, on the W. and containing in breadth eastward towards the house of Roger Overend 13 yds. from the King's highway southwards 24½ yds. adjoining the croft of Roger Overend on the S. together with right of common, to the use of his last will.

Court Leet, Court Baron and Customary Court of Henry Masterman, Monday, 9 April 1744 before John Wilmer, steward.

Homage. John Hill, gent., foreman, Roger Overend, Jos. Kirke, Matt. Walker, Ric. Deighton, Wm. Hebden, Thos. Milner, Wm. Stothard, John Acomb the Younger, Wm. Thompson, John Bilbrough, Thos. Cresser, Robt. Wharton.

[Repeat of Hy. Dryden's surrender, as above.] On or about 24 Oct. 1742 Hy. Dryden made and published his last will which together with probate under seal of the Prerogative Court of York is produced and charges the above premises with the payment of his debts and names John Preston of York and Geo. Lumley of Leeds his executors. Hy. Dryden has died since making the will and since

then John Preston has also died and Geo. Lumley is still living. Fine £6. 6. 0.

Court Leet, Court Baron and Customary Court of Henry Masterman, Tuesday, 23 Oct. 1744 before John Wilmer, steward.

Homage. Matt. Walker, foreman, Jos. Hobson, Jos. Norfolk, Wm. Ward, Thos. Prince, Thos. Blackburn, Ric. Chapman, Matt. Burton, Ric. Bland, Robt. Wharton, Thos. Harness, Joshua Watkinson, Chris. Redman, Wm. Wilson.

John Doughty of Acaster Malbis and Mary, his wife, granddaughter of Emmot Hill deceased, (wife of Thos. Hill late of Acomb, yeoman, deceased) on 6 March 1743 surrendered per Jos. Norfolk and John Plaister 5 a. 3½ r. of arable land in Acomb, 2 oxgangs of appurtenances in Owse Ings and 2 oxgangs of appurtenances in the West Ings, 1 Carrgate and 2 Fallowgates, now in the occupation of Thos. Slayton, to the use of Matt. Burton. Fine £4. 10. 0.

†COURT LEET, COURT BARON AND CUSTOMARY COURT OF HENRY MASTERMAN, WEDNESDAY, 24 APRIL 1745 BEFORE JOHN WILMER, STEWARD.

Matt. Burton of Acomb, yeoman, on 24 April 1745 surrendered per Roger Overend and Jos. Kirke a Key land, ½ a., in the Chappelfield bounded on N. by land of Hy. Masterman, now in the occupation of Wm. Wilson, by the common balk by the east hedge of the Chappelfield, on the W. by land of Hy. Masterman now in the occupation of Roger Overend, and on the N. by the high way leading into the Chappelfield to the use of Wm. Jackson of York, gent. Fine [unspecified].

John Acomb of Acomb, yeoman, surrendered on 22 April 1745 per John Bealby and Wm. Stothard a copyhold messuage and croft with all barns, stables &c. and in the Farfield, the Hanging Cliff Close, the Milldoor Close, 2 Broadlonglands, 1 a.; 1 Narrowlongland, 1 r.; 3 Narrow Scorbuts, 3 r.; 1 Broad Scorbutt, ½ a.; the Stonebrig, 1 r.; Midforth Lands, 1 a.; 2 Little Half Acres; the Melgate, 1 r.; the Pine, ½ a.; 2 Goldybottoms, 1½ r.; in the Millfield, 3 Gares, 1 a.; the Owse acre; the Husbandhow, ½ a.; a Bit against the How, ½ r.; a Pellitrain, 1 r.; a Bit in Milsike, ½ r.; the Longland End, 1 r.; the Lodgeley, ½ r.; the Kirk Rood; 2 Longlands, 1 a.; in the Lowfield, 2 Oxcrofts, 2 r.; a Holgate rood; 3 Moorlands, 3 a.; in the Beckfield, the Marr, ½ a.; 2 Long roods; 2 Coltoff half acres; the Henthorn, 1 r.; in the Chappelfield, the Loskarr, ½ a.; Loskarr Calf, ½ r.; the Gilder-scar, ½ a.; 2 Lambcrofts, 2 r.; the Beckbit, ½ r.; the Gormire, 1 r.; the Scubalkland, ½ r.; the How, ½ r.; 2 Wetlands, 3 r.; Wrangland, 1 r.; a Barreldike, ½ r.; the Middle Barreldike, ½ r.; in the Hobmoor, 1 half a.; 2½ r.; Stonehouse Close; Hobmoor Close; in the Ings, 4 Over Ices, 2 a.; in Holdgate Howfield, 2 r.; Smithy Green in Acomb, 3 r.; and also 6½ Carrgates and 3½ Fallowgates to the use of his last will.

At a court held on 15 April 1735 Wm. Shepherd the elder had on 22 Nov. 1734 surrendered per Wm. Benson of York, gent., and Hy. Richmond of York, yeoman, the appurtenances of an Oxcgang and 2 a. of land in Holdgate and in Acomb, 2 Owse a.; 2 Millsties, 1 a.; a Pellytrane, 1 r.; in Gruntland Nooke, $\frac{1}{2}$ r.; in Bashley Hill, $\frac{1}{2}$ r.; with appurtenances and also Smithson's Acre with appurtenances in Acomb to himself for life and then to Margaret, his wife, for the term of her life and then to Wm. Shepherd, his son, and his issue and for want of such issue to his daughter Hannah Glaisby, wife of John Glaisby, and so forth. At this court it is found that Wm. Shepherd the father died soon after making the surrender, seised of the property, and that Margaret, his wife, is lately dead and died seised of the property and Wm. Shepherd, the son, is now living and is intituled to the premises. Fine £12. 8. 0.

At the court held on 27 April 1742 Margaret Shepherd of York, widow, surrendered property to herself for life and after to her son, Wm. Shepherd, with certain conditions [see p. 221 for details]. Margaret Shepherd is lately dead and died seised of the property. Wm. Shepherd is still living and is intituled to the property. Fine £11.

At the court held on 2 Feb. 1740 Margaret Shepherd of York, widow, surrendered to Hannah Glaisby, her daughter, 3 a. of land in Acomb [see p. 220 for details] after the death of Margaret. Margaret Shepherd is lately dead and died seised of the property and Hannah Glaisby is living and intituled to the property. Fine £2. 18. 0.

Edward Bell died some years ago seised of a cottage and small garth on the backside, with common right, now in the occupation of Ann Wright, widow, and Elizabeth Bell, singlewoman, one of Edward Bells two daughters and coheirs is intituled to a moiety of the premises. Fine [unspecified]. †

†COURT LEET, COURT BARON AND CUSTOMARY COURT OF HENRY MASTERMAN, WEDNESDAY, 23 OCT. 1745 BEFORE JOHN WILMER, STEWARD.

HOMAGE. Wm. Prince, foreman, Thos. Prince, Wm. Ward, Jos. Kirke, Thos. Harness, Wm. Wilson, Ric. Bland, Thos. Slayton, Roger Overend, Matt. Walker, John Bealby, Adam Topham, Wm. Dodgson, John Prince, Chris. Redman, John Hartley

Elizabeth Arnett of Clifton, widow, on 26 April 1745 surrendered per Thos. Fowler and Thos. Harness a messuage, garden, orchard and croft with appurtenances in Clifton to the use of Thomas White of York, merchant taylor, and Elizabeth Arnett, his intended wife, (if the said marriage take effect). Fine £4. 4. 0.

Thos. Hill of Acomb, husbandman, surrendered on 27 July 1745 per Wm. Stothard and Jos. Kirk a messuage house, one barn, one garden and garth, and one croft and appurtenances to the use of Roger Shackleton of York, merchant. Fine £5. 19. 0.

Elizabeth Bell, singlewoman, one of the daughters and coheirs of Edward Bell of Acomb, deceased, on 12 June 1745 surrendered per Thos. Harness and Benj. Kirke her undivided moiety of a cottage

with a small garth and common right, now in the occupation of Ann Wright, widow, to the use of Wm. Jackson of York, gent. Fine [unspecified].

On 2 July 1745 Thomas Church of Kingston upon Hull, upholsterer, and Dorothy, his wife, surrendered per Jos. Kirke and Chris. Redman, 3 r. called *Crosslands* in the Howfield of Holdgate now in the occupation of Wm. Briggs and 10 doles in the How Closes of Holdgate now in the occupation of Hy. Masterman with appurtenances to the use of Wm. Jackson of York, gent. Fine [unspecified].

The premises inherited by Wm. Shepherd from his father, Wm. Shepherd, deceased, [see court held 24 April 1745 [1735?], p. 283, for details] rented to Wm. Jackson for 11 yrs. at 5s. p.a. rent, in order to make a voluntary forfeiture to the lord of the manor. John Petytt, bailiff, ordered to seize the property and a first proclamation made for anyone who could to come forward and claim the property.

† [At an adjourned court held on 13 Nov. 1745 the bailiff reported that he had seized the property of Wm. Shepherd [as above] and a second proclamation made.] †

† [At a further adjourned court held on 4 Dec. 1745 a third proclamation was made for anyone who could to come forward and claim the property seized of Wm. Shepherd.] No one came and the lord by his steward granted the property to Wm. Shepherd. Fine £5. [In the margin] Fine £12. 8. 0. but only £5 taken. †

† COURT LEET, COURT BARON AND CUSTOMARY COURT OF HENRY MASTERMAN 24 APRIL 1746 BEFORE JOHN WILMER, STEWARD.

HOMAGE. Leo. Terry, foreman, John Hill, Jos. Kirke, John Bealby, Wm. Hebden, Ric. Bland, Wm. Wilson, Ric. Deighton, John Norris, Wm. Thompson, Wm. Shepherd, Thos. Blackburn, Thos. Harness, Geo. Plaister.

Thos. Fowler of York, baker, on 13 March 1744 surrendered per Wm. Stothard and Wm. Day 2 oxgangs of land dispersed in the townfields of Acomb and all other copyhold lands of his to the use of his last will.

Thos. Fowler is dead and he died seised of 2 oxgangs of land in Acomb which, on 13 March 1744, he surrendered to the use of his last will. The will is now produced and in it he says 'I bequeath all my copyhold property in Acomb to my eldest son Thos. Fowler, he paying to my wife, Ann, £8 a year during her life and paying to my second son, Wm. Fowler, £100 at 21 years of age or if my wife be then living six months after her death, and if Thomas die before my wife I give my property to my second son William, he paying the clear yearly sum of £8 to my wife, and if William die before my wife I give my property to my third son Samuel Fowler, he paying the clear yearly sum of £8 to my wife'. Thomas Fowler, being a minor, by Ann, his mother, admitted. Fine £18. †

†COURT LEET, COURT BARON AND CUSTOMARY COURT OF HENRY MASTERMAN, 14 OCT. 1746 BEFORE JOHN WILMER, STEWARD.

HOMAGE. Wm. Stothard, foreman, Roger Overend, Benj. Kirke, Matt. Burton, Wm. Wilson, Wm. Ward, Matt. Walker, Robt. Wharton, Geo. Stainforth, Wm. Prince, John Prince, Wm. Hebden, Thos. Cass, Geo. Bilbrough.

At the court held on 10 Oct. 1743 it was found that on 15 March 1742 Ann Benson of York, widow, surrendered 2 messuages in Holdgate and 2 message fronts with all her copyhold lands, rights &c. to herself for life and after her death to the use of John Allanson of York, grocer, her son-in-law and Ann Benson, her daughter. Ann Benson is dead and she died seised of the above property and John Allanson and Ann, her daughter, are still living and intituled to the same. Fine £241. 13. 0.

At the court held on 28 April 1738 it was found the Wm. Hotham of York, gent., surrendered on 22 Oct. 1735 per Wm. Stothard and John Bealby a messuage, cottage, garth, croft, 2 barns, orchard and 2 oxgangs of land and appurtenances to the use of his last will. And by his will, dated 22 Sept. 1742, he gave his property to his wife, Benedicta, for life and after her death to John Hotham, his son. Since the last court Wm. Hotham has died seised of the above property and Benedicta, his wife, and John, his son are still living. Benedicta Hotham admitted. Fine £54. 9. 4. †

†COURT LEET, COURT BARON AND CUSTOMARY COURT OF HENRY MASTERMAN, 8 MAY 1747 BEFORE JOHN WILMER, STEWARD.

HOMAGE. Hy. Bewlay, foreman, Roger Overend, John Glaisby, John Bealby, Thos. Harness, Geo. Stainforth, Ric. Bland, Chris. Redman, Matt. Walker, John Norris, John Doughty, Ric. Deighton, Jos. Hobson, Thos. White, Wm. Prince.

Elizabeth Lumley of York, spinster, is dead and she died seised of a messuage with a garth, outhouses &c. in Acomb and common right on Acomb Common with the appurtenances, now in the tenure of Wm. Sanderson, and before her death she surrendered the property to the use of her last will. By her will, now produced, she gave her property to Mary Wrangham, her sister, wife of Robt. Wrangham, of New Malton, merchant. Fine £7.

At the court held on 14 Oct. 1735 it was found that Wm. Hill of Easingwold, yeoman, on 23 Aug. 1735 surrendered a cottage with appurtenances, 1 Carrgate and 4 a. of land in Acomb and a cottage frontstead, 5 a. of land and 1 oxgang of meadow in Holdgate to the use of his will. By his will, dated 3 Dec. 1735, he left the property to Wm. Driffeld of Easingwold, butcher, and Wm. Catterton of Poppleton to sell and the money put at interest for the benefit of his two daughters, Mary Hill and Mary Driffeld, until his grandson, Robt. Hill, shall attain the age of 18 years when he shall take the

same to his own use or in case the land be not then sold he shall enter the property. It is now found that Robt. Hill is not only 18 yrs. of age but has passed the age of 21 and is intituled to the property which has not been sold. [Note in the margin] Fine remitted. †

Court Leet, Court Baron and Customary Court of Henry Masterman, Friday, 5 June 1747 before John Wilmer, steward.

Homage. Hy. Bewlay, foreman, Roger Overend, John Glaisby, John Beilby, Thos. Harness, Geo. Stainforth, Ric. Bland, Chris. Redman, Matt. Walker, John Norris, John Doughty, Ric. Deighton, Jos. Hobson, Thos. White, Wm. Prince.

Thos. Slayton of Acomb, miller, and Mary, his wife, on 10 Nov. 1746 surrendered per Roger Overend and John Beilby a cottage with the Mill Kilne buildings and other appurtenances to the use of Wm. Jackson of York, gent. Fine [unspecified].

John Hill of Acomb, gent., on 4 Oct. 1746 surrendered per John Acomb, snr., and Matt. Burton a cottage with garth &c. in Acomb, then in the occupation of Wm. Allenby, with right of common &c. to the use of Geo. Eskricke of Acomb. Fine £2. 17. 0.

Court Leet, Court Baron and Customary Court of Henry Masterman, Monday, 19 Oct. 1747 before John Wilmer, steward.

Homage. John Hill, gent., foreman, Wm. Stothard, Roger Overend, Robt. Hill, Wm. Hebden, Robt. Mitchell, Wm. Ward, Thos. Slayton, Benj. Kirke, Thos. Blackburne, Wm. Thompson, Thos. White, Geo. Plaister, Thos. Cass.

At the court held on 24 April 1745 John Acomb of Acomb, yeoman, surrendered on 22 April 1745 per John Beilby and Wm. Stothard his copyhold messuage in Acomb with the garth, barns, stables &c. and in the Farfield, the Hanging Cliff Close; the Mill Door Close; 2 Broadlands, 1 a.; 1 Narrow Longland, 1 r.; 3 Narrow Scorbuts, 3 r.; 1 Broad Scorbutt, $\frac{1}{2}$ a.; Stone Brig, 1 r.; Milldoor, $\frac{1}{2}$ a.; Midforth Lands, 1 a.; 2 little half acres; the Melgate, 1 r.; the Pine, $\frac{1}{2}$ a.; 2 Goldbottoms, $1\frac{1}{2}$ r.; in the Milfield, 3 Gares, 1 a.; Owse Acre; the Husbandhow, $\frac{1}{2}$ a.; 1 Bit against the How, $\frac{1}{2}$ r.; a Pellitrain, 1 r.; 1 Bit in Milsike, $\frac{1}{2}$ r.; the Longland End, 1 r.; the Lodgeley, $\frac{1}{2}$ r.; the Kirk rood and 2 Longlands, 1 a.; in the Lowfield, 2 Oxcrofts, 2 r.; 3 Moorlands, 3 a.; in the Beckfield, a Marr, $\frac{1}{2}$ a.; 2 long roods; 2 Coltoff Half Acres; the Henthorne, 1 r.; in the Chapelfield, the Loskarr, $\frac{1}{2}$ a.; a Losker Calf, $\frac{1}{2}$ r.; a Gilderscarr, $\frac{1}{2}$ a.; 2 Lambcrofts, 2 r.; the Beckbit, $\frac{1}{2}$ r.; Gormire, 1 r.; Scubalkland, $\frac{1}{2}$ r.; the Hans, $\frac{1}{2}$ r.; 2 Wetlands, 3 r.; Wranglands, 1 r.; Barreldike, $\frac{1}{2}$ r.; Middle Barreldike, $\frac{1}{2}$ r.; in the Hobmoor, one $\frac{1}{2}$ a.; two $\frac{1}{2}$ r.; Stonehouse Close; Hobmoor Close; in the Ings, 4 Over Ices, 2 a.; in Holgate Lowfield, 2 r.; Smithy Green in Acomb, 3 r.; and $6\frac{1}{2}$ Carrgates and 3 Fallowgates and all other his copyhold lands in Acomb and Hold-

gate to the use of his last will. Before his death on 22 April 1745 John Acomb made his will and bequeathed all his copyhold [here follows a repeat of the above details] to his daughter, Elizabeth Acomb, she paying his just debts. Fine £48.

James Shillitoe of Ulleskelf, yeoman, and Faith, his wife, on 19 Oct. 1747 surrendered per John Beilby and Jos. Kirke all their copyhold estate in Acomb and Holdgate to the use of Wm. Jackson of York, gent., upon condition that if James Shillitoe or Faith, his wife, pay Wm. Jackson £400 with interest at £5 a hundred by the year on 19 April next this surrender to be void. [Note in the margin] 21 May 1752. On this day Elizabeth Jackson, widow and executrix named in the last will of Wm. Jackson, came before John Wilmer, steward, and acknowledged herself to be satisfied of all manner of sums of money due by virtue of the condition of this surrender.

Robt. Wrangham of New Malton, merchant, and Mary, his wife, on 2 July 1747 surrendered per Wm. Shepherd and John Beilby a messuage with outhouses and a garth, now in the occupation of Wm. Sanderson, to the use of Wm. Jackson of York, gent. Fine [unspecified].

Court Leet, Court Baron and Customary Court of Henry Masterman, Thursday, 5 Nov. 1747 before John Wilmer, steward.

Homage. John Hill, gent., foreman, Wm. Stothard, Roger Overend, Robt. Hill, Wm. Hebden, Robt. Mitchell, Wm. Ward, Benj. Kirke, Thos. Slaton, Thos. Blackburne, Wm. Thompson, Thos. White, Geo. Plaister, Thos. Cass.

Wm. Prince of Nether Poppleton, husbandman, on 14 Oct. 1746 surrendered per Thos. Harness and Thos. Cass one messuage and 2½ a. of land in Holdgate to the use of Roger Overend the elder upon condition that if Wm. Prince pay to Roger Overend £40 and interest on 13 April next this surrender to be void.

Leonard Thompson is dead and he died seised of two cottages and 1½ a. of land in Civikers in Clifton. Ric. Thompson, his brother, is his heir. Fine £5. 5. 0.

† A declaration by Wm. Jackson of York, gent., that the surrenders made to him by Matt. Burton of Acomb, yeoman,¹ Elizabeth Bell,² Thos. Church of Kingston upon Hull, upholsterer,³ Thos. Slayton of Acomb, miller,⁴ and Robt. Wrangham of New Malton, merchant,⁵ were in his capacity as agent for Henry Masterman, lord of the manor, who paid the purchase money. 29 January 1747/8.

A declaration by Wm. Jackson of York, gent., that the surrender made to him by James Shillitoe of Ulleskelf, yeoman,⁶ was in his capacity as agent for Henry Masterman, lord of the manor. 29 January 1747/8.

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¹ p. 226

³ p. 227

⁵ above

² p. 228

⁴ p. 230

⁶ above

Court Leet, Court Baron and Customary Court of Henry Masterman, Monday, 25 April 1748 before John Wilmer, steward.

Homage. Robt. Hill, foreman, Wm. Stothard, Thos. Cass, Roger Overend, Robt. Wharton, Wm. Hebden, Wm. Prince, Ric. Deighton, Wm. Wilson, Chris. Redman, Ric. Bland, Matt. Burton, John Norris, Benj. Kirk.

John Bealby of Acomb, yeoman, surrendered per Wm. Shepherd and Wm. Stothard, in the Beckfield, Henthorne Close, 2 a.; 3 Overisses, $1\frac{1}{2}$ a.; 2 Cutter Hill Lees, $\frac{1}{2}$ a.; 1 a. in the Chappell Field; 9 oxgangs of appurtenances; 3 Carrgates and 1 Fallowgate; in the Farr Field, 2 Apple Tree Stubbs, 1 a.; a Melgate, 1 r.; in the Millfield, a Longland, 1 r.; in the Beckfield, Knapton Gate Bit, 1 r.; a Henthorne, 1 r.; all in the occupation of John Bealby, to the use of John Hotham of York, merchant. Fine £11. 11. 0.

Elizabeth Hassel, spinster, Wm. Thompson, yeoman, and Mary, his wife, surrendered per Jos. Kirk and Wm. Stothard on 2 April 1748 a cottage and stable in the occupation of Thos. Jibb, and an Holmstead in the occupation of Robt. Wharton, in length from the end of the cottage to the Old Barn 64 feet, also a partition by a wall, pales, hedge or other means allowed to Matt. Wilson or his heirs whenever they please to divide the same, to be taken from the north-east angle of the Old Barn extending over the street wall so as to leave 10 feet of that wall to the possession of Nat. Wilson, also the continuance of it by the cottage and stable for their frontstead, also the garden belonging to the cottage and a small slip of ground adjoining it, taken from the pasture, and joined to the garden, now enclosed by a hedge, in length about 100 feet from E. to W. in breadth 57 feet from Nat. Wilson's garden, and in breadth at the east end from the Hogstye all along the Fold Yard 60 feet, and in breadth from the barn and adjoining the Hogstye 68 feet, together with all common rights &c. as agreed in an indenture dated 1 April 1748, to the use of Nathaniel Wilson. Fine £2. 5. 0.

Court Leet, Court Baron and Customary Court of Henry Masterman held by adjournment Friday, 3 June 1748 before John Wilmer, steward.

Homage. [as last court.]

Robt. Hill of Nether Poppleton, farmer, on 25 April 1748 surrendered per Wm. Stothard and Jos. Kirk a cottage in Acomb, in the occupation of John Ripley, with a garth and common right and 3 r. of meadow in Chappell Field (except a Carr Gate in the Carr belonging to the cottage) to the use of Thos. Cass of Scaddlethorpe in the parish of Moor Monkton, farmer, subject nevertheless to the payment of 5s. a year to the churchwardens of Acomb towards the repair of the church of Acomb. Fine £2. 1. 3.

**Court Leet, Court Baron and Customary Court of Henry Masterman,
Friday, 21 Oct. 1748 before John Wilmer, steward.**

Homage. Thos. Harness, foreman, Matt. Walker, Geo. Stainforth, John Bealby, Ric. Bland, John Norris, Geo. Bilbrough, Wm. Shepherd, Wm. Wilson, Robt. Mitchell, John Acomb, Robt. Wharton, Thos. Milner.

Matt. Burton of Acomb, carpenter, and Ann, his wife, on 30 Oct. 1747 surrendered per John Hill and Thos. Harness a cottage and *dovecoat* in Acomb, with 1 Carrgate and 1 Fallowgate and common right &c., 5 a. $3\frac{1}{2}$ r. of arable land, 2 oxgangs of appurtenances in Owse Ings, 2 oxgangs of appurtenances in the West Ings, common right for one beast in the Carr and common right for 3 beasts in the fallows and all other estate &c. to the use of Dorothy Jubb of York, widow, provided that if Matt. Burton pay to Dorothy Jubb the sum of £120 with interest at the rate of £4 10s. yearly on 30 April next this surrender to be void. And whereas the £120 has not been paid the estate of Dorothy Jubb in the premises becomes absolute. Fine £4. 10. 0.

**Court Leet, Court Baron and Customary Court of Henry Masterman
held by adjournment Friday, 18 Nov. 1748 before John Wilmer,
steward.**

Homage. [as previous court.]

Robt. Leng of Drighton on 15 Nov. 1748 surrendered per Wm. Stothard and Thos. Milner the moiety of one cottage, barn &c. with orchard, garth and common right &c, now in the occupation of Chris. Redman, to the use of Chris. Redman. Fine £1. 10. 0.

John Hill of Acomb on 3 May 1748 surrendered per John Hotham and Wm. Shepherd Marr Close, $3\frac{1}{2}$ a., now divided into two closes, $2\frac{3}{4}$ oxgangs¹ of land containing $22\frac{1}{2}$ a. in the town fields of Acomb, now in the occupation of John Hill, to the use of John Hill until the solemnisation of a marriage between John Hill and Margaret Booker of York, spinster, and after their marriage to them jointly. The marriage has now been solemnised. Fine £14. 15. 0.

**Court Leet, Court Baron and Customary Court of Henry Masterman,
Tuesday, 18 April 1749 before John Wilmer, steward.**

Homage. John Hill, foreman, John Doughty, Wm. Hebden, Wm. Ward, Wm. Thompson, Jos. Hobson, Roger Overend, John Prince, John Norris, Wm. Stothard, Thos. White, John Glaisby, Thos. Cass, Wm. Shepherd.

¹ The oxgang or bovat was one-eighth of the ploughland or carucate, an area commonly varying between about 80 and 144 a.; here (and cf. courts of 13 Oct. 1752 and 4 May 1762) with an oxgang of only 8 a., the ploughland was only about 64 acres.

Ric. Thompson of York on 14 Dec. 1748 surrendered per John Hotham and Matt. Burton 2 cottages with appurtenances and $1\frac{1}{2}$ a. of land in the Civikers in Clifton to the use of Edward Thompson of York. Fine [unspecified].

Thos. White of Clifton, tailor, on 14 Jan. 1748 surrendered per John Hill and Thos. Harness one messuage, garden, orchard and croft in Clifton to the uses of his last will.

Roger Shackleton of York, merchant, and Elizabeth, his wife, surrendered on 28 March 1749 per Wm. Stothard and Jos. Kirk a messuage with barn, garth &c. in Acomb and in the Farr Field, 2 Hanging Cliffs, 1 a.; Milnforth land, 2 r.; 3 little half acres; Mill Door, 2 r.; a Pine and a Melgate, 2 r., Skirk butt, 1 r.; a Skirk but and a Long Land, 3 r.; Apple Tree Stubbs, 2 r.; Goldy Bottoms, 1 a.; at Stone Bridge, $\frac{1}{2}$ r.; in the Millfield, a Milnstie, 2 r.; a Husband How, 2 r.; a Bit against the Hows, $\frac{1}{2}$ r.; Bittyman Sykes, $\frac{1}{2}$ r.; 2 Bitts over the way, 1 r.; Long Land Ends, $\frac{1}{2}$ r.; Long Land, 2 r.; a Doodle Bitt, 1 r.; a Pennytrain beyond Millhill, $\frac{1}{2}$ r.; a Codgley, $\frac{1}{2}$ r.; a Kirke Rood, 1 r.; in the Lowfield, 2 Moorlands, 2 a.; a Holdgate Rood, 1 r., an Oxcroft, 1 r.; in the Beckfield, a Marr, 2 r.; a Long Rood, 1 r.; Colliffe, $\frac{1}{2}$ a.; a Foul Fur Land, 1 r.; School Breed, $\frac{1}{2}$ r.; Knapton Gate Bitt, $\frac{1}{2}$ r.; a Henthorn, $\frac{1}{2}$ r.; in the Chappellfield, Beck Bitts, three narrows and a broad, $2\frac{1}{2}$ r.; a Gilderscar and a Losscar, 3 r.; 2 Gilderscar, 1 a.; Losscar Calf, $\frac{1}{2}$ r.; Lamy Croft, 1 r.; Gruntling Nook land, $\frac{1}{2}$ r.; a Middle Barr, $\frac{1}{2}$ r.; a Wrangland, 1 r.; Barrilay Dyke, $\frac{1}{2}$ r.; Bashley Hill Bitt, $\frac{1}{2}$ r.; Overices in the Ings, 1 a.; on the Hobb Moor 4 Carrgates and 4 Fallowgates belonging to 2 oxgangs in the Town Ing, all of which were purchased of Thos. Hill, to the use of Edward Thompson of York. Fine £21.

John Hotham of York, merchant, on 17 April 1749 surrendered per Wm. Stothard and John Hill all his copyhold lands and tenements in Acomb to the use of his last will.

John Hartley the elder of Acomb, yeoman, on 15 Nov. 1748 surrendered per Wm. Stothard and Jos. Kirk a messuage with a barn, garth &c. and 5 a. 3 r. of land to the uses of his last will.

Court Leet, Court Baron and Customary Court of Henry Masterman held by adjournment Friday, 26 May 1749 before John Wilmer, steward.

Homage. [as last court.]

At a court held the 17 Aug. 1694 it was found John Crow had died since the then last court seised of a copyhold estate in the manor and at a court held 15 Oct. 1694 it was found that John Crow had surrendered a cottage with a garth and croft and one oxgang of copyhold land and one more croft in Acomb to the use of his executors under the formation following, that it should be lawful for his executrixes to sell or otherwise dispose of the hereditaments for the payment of his debts and into court came Hannah, sister and executrix, by the name of Hannah Crow, spinster, and having paid

the fine was admitted tenant, and the homage at this present court find that by a copy of the last will, dated 1694, and annexed to the probate, also dated 1694, and both now produced, that John Crow made Hannah Earby, his sister, and Anne Crow, his daughter, his executrixes and it was a mistake in admitting Hannah tenant by the name of Hannah Crow, she being then Hannah Earby, and it is further found that Hannah was afterwards married to Rev. John Marshall, late vicar of Acomb, and that she died during his lifetime seised of the cottage and premises and that Ann Barstow, widow, formerly Ann Crow, spinster, and joint executrix with Hannah is the surviving executrix of John Crow and also next heir and is intituled to the cottage and premises. Fine £12.

**Court Leet, Court Baron and Customary Court of Henry Masterman,
Wednesday, 4 Oct. 1749 before John Wilmer, steward.**

Homage. Wm. Stothard, foreman, John Norris, Thos. Harness, John Bealby, Wm. Wilson, Robt. Wharton, Benj. Kirk, Roger Overend, Robt. Hill, Geo. Stainforth, Ric. Chapman, Wm. Thompson, Chris. Redman, Thos. Blackburn.

Leonard Terry of York, carpenter, and Elizabeth, his wife, on 6 July 1749 surrendered per John Hill, gent., and Wm. Shepherd, flaxdresser, 2 cottages in Acomb with their outhouses &c. common and common of pasture to the use of Benj. Kirk of Acomb, yeoman. Fine £5 15. 0.

**Court Leet, Court Baron and Customary Court of Henry Masterman,
Wednesday, 4 Oct. 1749 before John Wilmer, steward.**

Homage. [as last court.]

Thos. Milner, cordwainer, and Elizabeth, his wife, of Acomb on 5 Sept. 1749 surrendered per Wm. Stothard and Jos. Kirk a cottage house with garth &c. and common right on Acomb Common to the use of John Hardcastle, jnr., of Acomb, tailor. Fine £2 5. 0.

Dorothy Jubb of York, widow, Matt. Burton of Acomb, carpenter, and Ann, his wife, on 16 Nov. 1748 surrendered per Wm. Stothard and Jos. Kirk a cottage in Acomb with 1 Carrgate and 1 Fallowgate and right of common &c., 5 a. 3½ r. of arable land, 2 oxgangs of appurtenances in the Owse Ings, 2 oxgangs of appurtenances in the West Ings, 1 Carrgate and 3 Fallowgates, all in the occupation of Matt. Burton, to the use of Leonard Pickard of York, gent., provided that if Matt. Burton pay the sum of £140 with interest at the rate of £4 10. 0 a hundred by the year to Leonard Pickard on 16 June next this surrender to be void. And whereas the £140 has not been paid the estate of Leonard Pickard in the premises becomes absolute. [Note in the margin:— Fine remitted.]

† A Declaration by Leonard Pickard that in the above mortgage and admittance he acted as agent for Henry Masterman, lord of the manor. 28 Dec. 1749.

†COURT LEET, COURT BARON AND CUSTOMARY COURT OF HENRY MASTERMAN, FRIDAY, 4 MAY 1750 BEFORE JOHN WILMER, STEWARD.

HOMAGE. Roger Overend, foreman, John Norris, John Hill, Matt. Burton, Wm. Wilson, Wm. Prince, Ric. Bland, Robt. Wharton, Robt. Mitchell, John Hardcastle, Wm. Shepherd, Matt. Walker, Wm. Hebden, Thos. White.

Leonard Pickard of York, gent., and Matt. Burton of Acomb, carpenter, and his wife surrendered per Jos. Kirke and John Hill a cottage and *Dove Coat* in Acomb, late in the occupation of Matt. Burton and now of Mrs. Ann Barstow, with a garth and common right and other appurtenances to the use of Ann Barstow and Jeremiah Barstow, her only son and heir, and to the longer liver of them. Fine £9.

Leonard Pickard of York, gent., and Matt. Burton of Acomb, carpenter, and Ann, his wife, surrendered per Roger Overend and John Hill 5 a. 3½ r. of land in Acomb, 2 oxgangs of appurtenances in Owse Ings, 2 oxgangs of appurtenances in the West Ings, 2 Carrgates and 4 Fallowgates, now in the occupation of Matt. Burton, to the use of Edward Thompson of Acomb, esq. Fine £4 2. 6.

Ann Barstow of Acomb, widow, and Jeremiah Barstow of York, gent., her only son and heir, on 4 May 1750 surrendered per Roger Overend and John Hill a cottage with garth, croft, common right and appurtenances, late in the occupation of Jos. Kirke but now of Matt. Burton, carpenter, Thos. Hill, Geo. Blyth and Ann Stainburn, one piece of fence in the Gale Lane belonging to the cottage excepted, to the use of Matt. Burton of Acomb, carpenter. Fine £3. †

†COURT LEET, COURT BARON AND CUSTOMARY COURT OF HENRY MASTERMAN HELD BY ADJOURNMENT ON 29 MAY 1750 BEFORE JOHN WILMER, STEWARD.

HOMAGE. [as last court.]

Wm. Day late of York, gent., is lately dead and he died seised of a messuage with the garth, croft, outhouses, barns, orchard, gardens &c. in Clifton late in the tenures of Robt. Fawcett and Tristram Kirkman and now of Mary Meeke, widow, and Wm. Dickinson, *gardiner*, and on 12 June 1742 he surrendered the premises to the use of his last will. On 14 June 1742 Wm. Day published his will, now produced, and by it he gave his property to John Gill subject to the payment of £700 after the decease of John Gill and his cousin Thos. Gill to two of his nephews or nieces, being the eldest children of his sisters, Catherine, Dorothy and Sarah and to his nephew Robt. being the only child of his sister Mary, which shall be living at the time of his cousins' decease, the £700 at £100 a piece as they attain the age of 21 years, and the interest on the £100 shares, at the rate of £4 per hundred to be paid to each of them until they reach the age of 21. But if any of seven nephews or nieces shall die before reaching the age

of 21 years then the bequest shall be void. The homage find that John Gill of York, gent., is intituled to the property. Fine £21 15. 0.†

†COURT LEET, COURT BARON AND CUSTOMARY COURT OF HENRY MASTERMAN, THURSDAY, 18 APRIL 1750 BEFORE JOHN WILMER, STEWARD.

HOMAGE. John Hill, foreman, John Norris, John Acomb, Wm. Ward, Thos. White, Wm. Prince, Chris. Redman, Ric. Bland, Roger Overend, Benj. Kirke, Wm. Hebden, Matt. Walker, Thos. Cresser, Fran. Stainburn.

Matt. Burton of Acomb, carpenter, on 15 April 1750 surrendered per John Hill and Roger Overend all such part of a cottage in Acomb containing in front 8 yds. and in the backfront 8 yds. and in length 33 yds., late in the occupation of Fran. Stainburn but now uninhabited, with its appurtenances to the use of Timothy Brigg of Acomb, shoemaker. Fine £3 15. 0.

Memorandum. After the execution of the above surrender it was agreed between the parties that Timothy Brigg should have free use of the pump standing in the garth and that the water running from the pump should have free running over the yard which Timothy Brigg had purchased without any disturbance.

Edward Thompson late of Acomb is dead and he died seised of 2 cottages with appurtenances and $1\frac{1}{2}$ a. in Civikers in Clifton, in the occupation of Simon Fawcett, and a messuage with barn, garth, and croft with appurtenances in Acomb, and in the Farrfield, 2 Hanging Cliffs, 1 a.; Milnforth land, 2 r.; 3 Little half acres; Mill Door, 2 r.; a Pine and a Melgate, 3 r.; a Skirkbutt, 1 r.; a Skirkbutt and a Long Land, 3 r.; Appletree Stubbs, 2 r.; Goldy Bottoms, 1 a.; at Stone Bridge, $\frac{1}{2}$ r.; in the Millfield, a Milnsty, 2 r.; Husband How, 2 r.; Bitt against Hows, $\frac{1}{2}$ r.; Bittyman Sikes, $\frac{1}{2}$ r.; Long Land, 2 r.; a Doodlebit, $\frac{1}{2}$ r.; a Pennytrain beyond the Mill Hill, $\frac{1}{2}$ r.; a Codgley, $\frac{1}{2}$ r.; a Kirkrood, 1 r.; in the Lowfield, 2 Moor Lands, 2 a.; a Holdgate Rood, 1 r.; Oxcroft, 1 r.; in the Bechfield, Marr, 2 r.; a Long Rood, 1 r.; a Colliffe, $\frac{1}{2}$ a.; a Foul Furland, 1 r.; School Breed, $\frac{1}{2}$ r.; Knapton Gate Bitt, $\frac{1}{2}$ r.; Henthorne, $\frac{1}{2}$ r.; in the Chappelfield, Beck Bitts three narrow and a Broad, 2 r. and $\frac{1}{2}$ r.; a Gilderscar and a Losscarr, 3 r.; 2 half a. Gilderscar; Losscar Calf, $\frac{1}{2}$ r.; a Lamy Croft, 1 r.; a Royland and a Common Balk, 2 r.; Hoes, $\frac{1}{2}$ r.; Sandy Lands, $\frac{1}{2}$ r.; Weetland, 1 r.; Gruntling Nook Land, $\frac{1}{2}$ r.; a Middle Barrel, $\frac{1}{2}$ r.; a Wrangland, 1 r.; a Barrilay Dike, $\frac{1}{2}$ r.; Bashley Hill Side, $\frac{1}{2}$ r.; 1 a. in the Ings called *Overises*; 1 a. on the Hob Moor; 4 Carrgates and 4 fallowgates with appurtenances belonging to 2 oxgangs in the Town Ings, late in the occupation of Thos. Hill and now of Rev. Mr. Leonard Thompson, and 5 a. $3\frac{1}{2}$ r. of land in Acomb, 2 oxgangs of appurtenances in Owze Ings and 2 oxgangs of appurtenances in the West Ings, 2 Carrgates and 4 Fallowgates, now in the tenure of Matt. Burton. The Rev. Mr. Leonard Thompson is brother and next heir to Edward Thompson, deceased. Fine £44.†

†COURT LEET, COURT BARON AND CUSTOMARY COURT OF HENRY MASTERMAN, MONDAY, 30 SEPT. 1751 BEFORE JOHN WILMER, STEWARD.

JURY. John Hill, foreman, John Norris, Wm. Wilson, Roger Overend, Wm. Hebden, Thos. Harness, Wm. Stothard, John Steel, Geo. Plaister, John Prince, Jos. Kirke, Thos. Blackburn, Timothy Briggs.

Thos. Harness of Acomb, yeoman, on 25 May 1751 surrendered per Wm. Stothard and Jos. Kirke in the Hob Moor, 4 r.; in the Millfield, 2 Husband Hows, 1 a.; a Metforth Land, $\frac{1}{2}$ a.; a Melgate Land, 1 r.; a Scorbitt, 1 r.; with the appurtenances to the use of Wm. Ream of Acomb, yeoman. Fine £2 5. 0.

Thomas Cresser of Acomb, husbandman, on 23 Sept. 1751 surrendered per Jos. Kirke and Thos. Harness a messuage in which he dwells with a garth or orchard being $\frac{1}{2}$ a., and appurtenances to the uses of his last will. †

†COURT LEET, COURT BARON AND CUSTOMARY COURT OF HENRY MASTERMAN, TUESDAY, 25 APRIL 1752 BEFORE JOHN WILMER, STEWARD.

JURY. Wm. Stothard, foreman, Robt. Hill, John Glaisby, John Norris, Thos. Harness, Chris. Redman, Wm. Prince, Benj. Kirke, Wm. Sheppard, John Doughty, Wm. Thompson, Robt. Mitchell, Thos. Cass, Ric. Overend.

Wm. Shepherd of York, flaxdresser, and Ann, his wife, on 20 Jan. 1752 surrendered per Wm. Stothard and Jos. Kirke a messuage with barns and other outbuildings and a croft, now divided into two crofts, on the backside and a piece of ground on which a barn formerly stood and all the ground on the north of the messuage towards the street and a foot of ground without the *Eve Dropping* and the right to turn a draught and bring in goods at the gate, with appurtenances to the use of John Mayer of York, alderman. Fine £6 15. 0.

Thos. Cass of Scaddlethorpe in the parish of Moor Monkton, farmer, on 21 April 1752 surrendered per Wm. Stothard and Jos. Kirke a cottage, now in the tenure of John Ripley, with common right and 3 r. of meadow in the Chappelfield (except a Carrgate belonging to the cottage) to the use of Geo. Plaister of Acomb, *taylor*, subject to the payment of 5s. a year to the church wardens toward the repair of the church of Acomb. Fine £2 1. 3. †

†COURT LEET, COURT BARON AND CUSTOMARY COURT OF HENRY MASTERMAN, FRIDAY, 13 OCT. 1752 BEFORE JOHN WILMER, STEWARD.

JURY. John Hill, foreman, John Norris, Robt. Wharton, John Ellis, Ric. Bland, Benj. Kirke, Geo. Plaister, Wm. Suberon, Roger Overend, Jos. Kirke, Wm. Hebden, Wm. Calvert, Wm. Wilson.

James Shillitoe of Ulleskelf, gent., and Faith, his wife, daughter and heir of John Harrison of Bilbrough, yeoman, deceased, on 21 May 1752 surrendered per John Mayer and Wm. Shepherd a cottage, now in the occupation of John Beilby, with 2 garths and common right and 1 oxgang of 8 a. now enclosed in two closes called *Hanging Cliff Closes* and, in the Farrfield, a Milldoor Land, $\frac{1}{2}$ a.; a Hanging Cliff, $\frac{1}{2}$ a.; a Midforth Land, 1 r.; 3 Little Half Acres, $1\frac{1}{2}$ a.; a Melgate, 1 r.; a Stainbrig, 1 r.; a Pine, $\frac{1}{2}$ a.; another Pine, $\frac{1}{2}$ a.; a Gowdy Bottom, $\frac{1}{2}$ r.; a Long Land, $\frac{1}{2}$ a.; in the Beckfield, 2 Long Roods, 3 r.; a Colt, $\frac{1}{2}$ a.; a Broad Schoolbreed, 1 r.; a Narrow Schoolbreed, $\frac{1}{2}$ r.; a Henthorn, $\frac{1}{2}$ r.; 2 Narrow Foulfurrs, 2 r.; in the Chappellfield, a Beckbitt, 1 r.; a Gormire, $\frac{1}{2}$ r.; a Gilders Carr, $\frac{1}{2}$ a.; 2 Losscarrs, 2 r.; a Losscarr Calf, $\frac{1}{2}$ r.; a Wrangland, 1 r.; a Middle Barrell, $\frac{1}{2}$ r.; a Barrellay Dike, $\frac{1}{2}$ r.; a Weetland, 1 r.; a Sandyland, $\frac{1}{2}$ r.; 2 Hoelands, 1 r.; a Keyland, 1 a.; 2 Lammy Crofts, $\frac{1}{2}$ a.; in the Hobmoor Field, 1 r. in the Eastland Westland Flatt; 1 r. adjoining to Hobmoor; 1 r. against the moor land end; in the Lowfield, a Moorland, 1 a.; 1 Holdgate rood; an Oxcroft, 1 r.; a Dowdill Bitt, $1\frac{1}{2}$ r.; in the Millfield, a Kirkrood Land, 1 r.; 3 Langlands, 1 a. 1 r.; a Pelly Trane, $\frac{1}{2}$ r.; a Bittamaysyke, $\frac{1}{2}$ r.; a Bitt against How, 1 r.; a Broad Millsty, $1\frac{1}{2}$ a.; 2 Millsties, $1\frac{1}{2}$ r.; in the Ings, a Broad Overice, $\frac{1}{2}$ a.; a Narrow Overice, 1 r.; 2 Oxgangs of appurtenances in the Ings, $6\frac{1}{2}$ Carrgates and $3\frac{1}{2}$ Fallowgates, and all other their copyhold property to the use of Richard Overend, second son of Roger Overend of Acomb, yeoman. Fine £24 10. 0.

James Shillitoe of Ulleskelf, gent., and Faith, his wife, daughter and heir of John Harrison of Bilbrough, yeoman, on 21 May 1752 surrendered per John Mayer and Wm. Shepherd a close of meadow (now divided into 3 little closes), about 2 acres and in the Folly Millfield, $3\frac{1}{2}$ a.; in the Lowfield, 5 r.; in the Howfield, 7 r.; all in Holdgate, with appurtenances to the use of John Ellis of York, baker, and Jane, his wife. Fine £17 13. 0. †

†COURT LEET, COURT BARON AND CUSTOMARY COURT OF HENRY MASTERMAN HELD BY ADJOURNMENT ON FRIDAY, 17 NOV. 1752 BEFORE JOHN WILMER, STEWARD.

JURY. [as last court.]

Timothy Brigg of Acomb, shoemaker, on 15 Aug. 1752 surrendered per John Hotham and Matt. Burton a cottage in Acomb containing in front 8 yds 1 foot and in the backfront 8 yds and 1 foot and in length 33 yds, late in the tenure of Fran. Stainburn, to the use of Jos. Fearnside of Lynn Regis in Norfolk, gent. Fine £3 15. 0.

At a court held on 24 Oct. 1740 Eleanor Brignell of Acomb, widow, surrendered per Edward Wilkinson, then steward, a cottage and 2 a. and $\frac{1}{2}$ r. in the tenure of Geo. Bilbrough, and $\frac{1}{2}$ a. in the tenure of Robt. Wharton, all in Acomb, to the use of her last will. It is found at this present court that Eleanor Brignell is lately dead seised of the above premises and by her will, dated 1 Dec. 1740, under seal of the Prerogative Court of York she gave, to be equally divided

between them, the property to her four daughters Jane, Mary, Eleanor and Frances but if Frances should die then her husband should have the property for life and after his death it should be divided between the other three daughters and it is also found that Jane, now wife of Andrew Craggs of Durham city, shoemaker, Mary, widow of James Carpenter of York, painter, and Eleanor, spinster, and Frances, wife of David Aked of Bolton Percy, husbandman, are all living. Fine £6 0. 0. †

†COURT LEET, COURT BARON AND CUSTOMARY COURT OF HENRY MASTERMAN, MONDAY, 7 MAY 1753 BEFORE JOHN WILMER, STEWARD.

[No business.] †

†COURT LEET, COURT BARON AND CUSTOMARY COURT OF HENRY MASTERMAN, THURSDAY, 11 OCT. 1753 BEFORE JOHN WILMER, STEWARD.

JURY. John Hill, foreman, Wm. Prince, Ric. Bland, Wm. Hebden, Jos. Kirke, Benj. Kirke, John Doughty, John Norris, Wm. Wilson, Wm. Ward the younger, Geo. Plaister, Geo. Bilbrough, Robt. Mitchell, Matt. Burton.

John Hardcastle the younger is dead and he died seised of a cottage with garth and stable and common right on Acomb common and Robt. Hardcastle, a minor, is his son and next heir. Fine [unspecified]. †

†COURT LEET, COURT BARON AND CUSTOMARY COURT OF HENRY MASTERMAN HELD BY ADJOURNMENT ON FRIDAY, 16 NOV. 1753 BEFORE JOHN WILMER, STEWARD.

JURY. John Hill, foreman, Ric. Bland, Wm. Hebden, Jos. Kirke, Benj. Kirke, John Doughty, John Norris, Wm. Wilson, Wm. Ward the younger, Geo. Plaister, Geo. Bilbrough, Robt. Mitchell, Matt. Burton.

Edward Thompson of Marston is dead and he died seised of a messuage in Holdgate wherein widow Thompson formerly dwelt, with 5 Gates in Follyman Field and 2 Ing Gates and Cold Crofts, 1 a.; Crooke Lands by How Close side, 1 r.; How Hill, 1 r.; on Gravell Hill, 1 r. 3 p.; 3½ r. against Poppleton Street; 3 r. in the Ings; 2 a. in the Intack; 1 a. in the Lowfield; now in the occupation of Elizabeth Mason and Robt. Cooke, and also a croft in Holdgate, formerly in the occupation of Hy. Bewlay and now of Samuel Smailes, with appurtenances, and also the moiety of a cottage and garth with common right in Acomb, heretofore in the occupation of Geo. Wright and now of Wm. Sanderson, and that Tindal Thompson of Settrington is his brother and next heir. Fine [unspecified]. †

†COURT LEET, COURT BARON AND CUSTOMARY COURT OF HENRY MASTERMAN, MONDAY, 29 APRIL 1754 BEFORE JOHN WILMER, STEWARD.

[No business.]

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†COURT LEET, COURT BARON AND CUSTOMARY COURT OF HENRY MASTERMAN HELD BY ADJOURNMENT ON FRIDAY, 7 JUNE 1754 BEFORE JOHN WILMER, STEWARD.

JURY. Robt. Hill, foreman, Wm. Stothard, John Norris, Chris. Redman, Wm. Allanby, Wm. Dodgson, John Glaisby, Thos. Slayton, Geo. Stainforth, Wm. Ward, John Ellis, Roger Overend, John Prince, Jos. Kirke.

John Benson of York, gent., is dead and he died seised of the Millfield Land and the Millfield and Farfield, now in the occupation of Thos. Blackburn, with appurtenances &c. and Robt. Benson of Leeds, gent., is his brother and next heir. Fine £1 0. 0.

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†COURT LEET, COURT BARON AND CUSTOMARY COURT OF HENRY MASTERMAN, FRIDAY, 18 OCT. 1754 BEFORE JOHN WILMER, STEWARD.

[No business.]

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† A Declaration by Tindal Thompson of Settrington, esq., that the surrenders made to his late brother, Edward Thompson of Marston, deceased, by Wilkinson Blanshard on 8 Mar. 1741 [29 March?]¹ and Wm. Williamson of York, weaver, and Margaret, his wife, on 5 Dec. 1741² were to be in trust for Henry Masterman, lord of the manor, who paid the purchase money.

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†COURT LEET, COURT BARON AND CUSTOMARY COURT OF HENRY MASTERMAN HELD BY ADJOURNMENT ON MONDAY, 18 NOV. 1754 BEFORE JOHN WILMER, STEWARD.

JURY. Thos. Harness, foreman, Roger Overend, Wm. Hebden, John Norris, John Hill, Ric. Bland, Wm. Wilson, Benj. Kirke, Wm. Benson, John Ellis, Benj. Brewster, Thos. Speight, Jos. Kirke, Wm. Sheppard.

Sir Tancred Robinson, bart., late of Newby, in his lifetime held to him two cottages and 20 a. of arable land with appurtenances and $\frac{1}{2}$ a. in the Fettees and 1 r. leading by the Hall Place formerly the premises of Edmund Sandwith and Frances, his wife, and 1 a. in the Ings of Clifton, $\frac{1}{2}$ a. in the Ridlands, $\frac{1}{2}$ a. on the Tofts, 1 r. in the Long Wandles and 1 r. in the Short Wandles, formerly the lands of Philip Ash and John Oliver, and Marshall Butts, 3 r., 1 r. between the ways near the Cross, and 1 a. in Acomb Ings called Clifton Acre, and a

¹ p. 219.

² p. 221.

cottage and garth in Clifton, $\frac{1}{2}$ a. on Hobthrush Bedflatt and $\frac{1}{2}$ a. next the Double Dyke, formerly of Wm. Williamson and Mary, his wife, and John Adcock and Elizabeth, his wife, and also a cottage, barn and garden in Clifton formerly of John Lambert, with all appurtenances. Sir Tancred Robinson is dead and Sir Wm. Robinson of Newby, bart., is his eldest son and heir. Fine £50.

Joseph Fearnside of King's Lynn in Norfolk on 24 August 1754 surrendered per Roger Overend and John Hill a cottage in Acomb, in the occupation of Fran. Stainburn, with a stable, yard and garden and appurtenances to the use of his last will. †

†COURT LEET, COURT BARON AND CUSTOMARY COURT OF HENRY MASTERMAN, THURSDAY, 10 APRIL 1755 BEFORE JOHN WILMER, STEWARD.

JURY. Ric. Overend, foreman, Wm. Stothard, Matt. Burton, Wm. Shepherd, John Prince, Wm. Ward, Thos. Blackburn, Wm. Dodgson the elder, Robt. Harwood, Hy. Mills, Benj. Kirke, Jos. Kirke, Wm. Thompson, Chris. Redman.

Elizabeth Cass of Scaddlethorpe, widow, on 22 Feb. 1755 surrendered per John Allanson and John Hill, gent., in the Farrfield, Medford Lands, 1 a.; 2 Little Half Acres, 1 a.; Long Land, 2 r.; 4 Scorbutts, 1 a.; 3 Pines, 1 a. and 1 r.; Gouldy Bottoms, 2 r.; Appletree Stubbs, 2 r.; in the Beckfield, Long Roods, 3 a. 1 r.; Henthornes, 1 r.; Knapton Gate Bit, 1 r.; Holdgate Roods, 2 r.; Oxcroft, 1 r.; in the Chappelfield, Gruntling Nook, 1 r.; 2 Loskers, 1 a.; Wranglands, 2 r.; Sandyland, 1 r.; Gilderskell, 2 r.; in the Millfield, 2 Ouze Acres, 1 a.; Limm Sty, 1 r.; Bittyman Sykes, 3 r.; Carr Nook Land, 1 r.; Mill Land, 1 r.; Long Land Ends, 1 r.; and Lodge Lees, 2 r.; with all appurtenances &c. now in the occupation of Wm. Hebden, to the use of her last will.

Leonard Thompson of Acomb, clerk, on 13 Dec. 1754 surrendered by Robt. Brown of Terrington, his attorney, per Wm. Shepherd and John Ellis 2 cottages with appurtenances and $1\frac{1}{2}$ a. of land in Civikers in Clifton, now in the occupation of Simon Fawcett, also a messuage, barn, garth and garden with a croft and appurtenances in Acomb and in the Farr Field, 2 Hinging Cliffs, 1 a.; Milnforth Lands, 2 r.; 3 little half Acres; Mill Door, 2 r.; a Pine and a Mellgate, 3 r.; Skirkbutt, 1 r.; a Skirkbutt and a Long Land, 3 r.; Appletree Stubbs, 2 r.; Goldy Bottoms, 1 a.; at Stonebridge, $\frac{1}{2}$ r.; in the Millfield, a Miln Sty, 2 r.; Husband How, 2 r.; Bitt against Hows, $\frac{1}{2}$ r.; Bittymansikes, $\frac{1}{2}$ r.; 2 Bitts Overway, 1 r.; Long Land end, $\frac{1}{2}$ r.; Long Land, 2 r.; a Doadle Butt, $\frac{1}{2}$ r.; a Penny Train beyond the Mill Hill, $\frac{1}{2}$ r.; a Codgeley, $\frac{1}{2}$ r.; a Kirkrood, 1 r.; in the Lowfield, 2 more Lands, 2 a.; a Holdgate rood, 1 r.; Oxcroft, 1 r.; in the Beckfield, Marr, 2 r.; a Long Rood, 1 r.; Colliffe, $\frac{1}{2}$ a.; a Foulfurland, 1 r.; Schoolbreed, $\frac{1}{2}$ r.; Knapton Gate Bitt, $\frac{1}{2}$ r.; a Henthorn, $\frac{1}{2}$ r.; in the Chappel Field, Beckbitts 3 Narrow and a Broad, 2 r.; a Gilderscarr and a Losscarr, 3 r.; two half a. Gilderscarr; Losscarr Calf, $\frac{1}{2}$ r.; a Lamy Croft, 1 r.;

a Reyland and a Common Balk, 2 r.; Hoes, $\frac{1}{2}$ r., Sandy Lands, $\frac{1}{2}$ r.; Weetland, 1 r.; Gruntling Nook Land, $\frac{1}{2}$ r., Middle Barrel, $\frac{1}{2}$ r.; Wrangland, 1 r.; Barrylay Dike, $\frac{1}{2}$ r.; Bashley Hill Side, $\frac{1}{2}$ r.; Overices in the Ings, 1 a.; 1 a. on Hobmoor; 4 Carrgates and 4 Fallowgates with appurtenances of 2 oxgangs in the Town Ing, now in the occupation of Leonard Thompson and Wm. Dodgson, and also 2 a. $3\frac{1}{2}$ r. of arable land in Acomb and 2 oxgangs of appurtenances in the Ouze Ings and 2 oxgangs of appurtenances in the West Ings, 2 Carrgates and 4 Fallowgates &c to the use of his last will.

A Declaration by Leonard Thompson of Acomb, clerk, appointing Robt. Brown of Terrington his attorney to act on his behalf in the above surrender and restating all his copyhold property, as above. †

†COURT LEET, COURT BARON AND CUSTOMARY COURT OF HENRY MASTERMAN, WEDNESDAY, 15 OCT. 1755 BEFORE JOHN WILMER, STEWARD.

JURY. John Hill, foreman, Roger Overend, John Norris, John Walker, Thos. Harness, Wm. Hebden, Wm. Allanby, Thos. Slaton, Geo. Bilbrough, John Ellis, Ric. Bland, Benj. Kirke, Jos. Kirke, John Acomb.

Roger Overend the elder of Acomb, gent., and Wm. Prince of Nether Poppleton, yeoman, on 29 May 1755 surrendered per Benj. Kirke and John Ellis a messuage with $2\frac{1}{2}$ a. of land in Holdgate with appurtenances, now in the occupation of Wm. Calvert of Holdgate, to the use of Samuel Smith of York, *gardinor*. Fine £6 15. 0. †

†COURT LEET, COURT BARON AND CUSTOMARY COURT OF HENRY MASTERMAN, TUESDAY, 11 MAY 1756 BEFORE JOHN WILMER, STEWARD.

JURY. Jeremiah Barstow, foreman, Joshua Thompson, John Doughty, Wm. Ward, Chris. Redman, Wm. Thompson, Robt. Hill, Wm. Stothard, John Prince, Wm. Calvert, Wm. Shepherd, Benj. Kirke, Jos. Kirke, Ric. Overend.

Matt. Burton of York, on 12 May 1755 surrendered per Roger Overend and Ric. Overend that part of a cottage containing 11 foot from the stable (further than the backfront belonging to Jos. Fearnside and in the occupation of Fran. Stainburn) and in length 8 yds and 1 foot, now in the occupation of Robt. Harwood, to the use of Jos. Fearnside of King's Lynn in Norfolk. Fine 2s.

Samuel Smith of York, *gardiner*, surrendered on 29 Jan. 1756 per John Ellis and Wm. Shepherd a messuage with $2\frac{1}{2}$ a. of land in Holdgate with appurtenances to the use of his last will. †

†COURT LEET, COURT BARON AND CUSTOMARY COURT OF HENRY MASTERMAN HELD BY ADJOURNMENT ON TUESDAY, 1 JUNE 1756 BEFORE JOHN WILMER, STEWARD.

JURY. [as last court.]

Andrew Craggs of Durham city, cordwainer, and Jane, his wife, Mary Carpenter of York, widow, John Stroud of York, cutler, and Eleanor, his wife, David Aked of Bolton Percy, yeoman, and Frances, his wife, (which Jane, Mary, Eleanor and Frances are daughters and co-heiresses of Eleanor Brignell, widow, deceased) on 29 May 1756 surrendered per the steward $\frac{1}{2}$ a. in the Far Field called *Appletree Stub* on the S. side of land late of Hy. Blythand [*sic*] abutting on the Marr Closes to the use of Peter Johnson the younger of York, esq. Fine 7s. 6d. †

†COURT LEET, COURT BARON AND CUSTOMARY COURT OF HENRY MASTERMAN, WEDNESDAY, 13 OCT. 1756 BEFORE JOHN WILMER, STEWARD.

JURY. John Norris, foreman, Thos. Harness, Wm. Stothard, Benj. Kirke, Ric. Bland, John Hebden, Wm. Allanby, Hy. Mills, Thos. Gregory, Robt. Mitchell, Wm. Ream, Wm. Hebden, Wm. Wilson, Jos. Kirke.

Matt. Burton of Acomb, carpenter, on 8 July 1756 surrendered per John Allanson, esq., and Wm. Stothard a cottage, now divided into three tenements, with barn, stables, *dovecoat* and garth and common right, now in the occupation of Matt. Burton, Robt. Harwood, John Heels and Martha Hill, to the use of John Elwick the younger of York, merchant *taylor*. Fine £10 10. 0.

Leonard Thompson, clerk, rector of Terrington, now resident in the parish of St. John the Evangelist in the city of Westminster, on 26 July 1756 surrendered by his attorney, Robt. Brown of Terrington, yeoman, per Wm. Shepherd and John Ellis a cottage with barns, stables and outhouses in Clifton on the south side of the street with an orchard and croft on the backside and all right of common and appurtenances, called in the admission of Leonard Thompson two cottages and appurtenances, then in the occupation of Simon Fawcett, to the use of John Rowlay of Clifton, maltster. Fine £4 10. 0.

A declaration by Leonard Thompson appointing Robt. Brown of Terrington, yeoman, his attorney for the sale of the above property. †

†COURT LEET, COURT BARON AND CUSTOMARY COURT OF HENRY MASTERMAN HELD BY ADJOURNMENT ON FRIDAY, 5 NOV. 1756 BEFORE JOHN WILMER, STEWARD.

JURY. [as last court.]

At a court held on 19 Nov. 1739 Thos. Cawood of Appleton Roebuck, yeoman, had surrendered per John Acomb and John Beilby an oxgang of land, about 8 a., in Acomb to the use of his last will. At this present court it is found that Thos. Cawood is lately dead and he died seised of the above property and by his will, dated 10 Sept. 1750, probate of which under seal of the Exchequer Court of His Grace the archbishop of York is produced he gave the property to John, eldest son of John Laycock of Appleton, his nephew. Fine £8. †

†COURT LEET, COURT BARON AND CUSTOMARY COURT OF HENRY MASTERMAN, FRIDAY, 29 APRIL 1757 BEFORE JOHN WILMER, STEWARD.

JURY. Wm. Stothard, foreman, John Norris, John Doughty, Thos. Cresser, Thos. Slayton, Robt. Wharton, John Laycock the younger, John Elwick the younger, Benj. Kirke, Geo. Stainforth, Jeremiah Barstow, Wm. Thompson, John Rowlay, Ric. Bland.

At the request of John Mayer the homage have viewed a stable lately erected by Thos. Spooner of York, now belonging to Mr. Edward Hebden of York, which adjoins the east end of the dwelling house now of John Mayer, and they find that the stable is an encroachment of 7 yds in length and 1 foot in breadth.

Matt. Burton, late of York but now of Acomb, on 8 July 1756 surrendered per John Allanson and Wm. Stothard one close with a new built tenement thereon with yard, garden and outbuildings and appurtenances to the use of Wm. Wharton of West Heslerton provided that if Matt. Burton pay to Wm. Wharton the sum of £270 with interest at £4 a hundred yearly on 9 Sept. next this surrender to be void. And whereas the £270 with interest has not been paid the estate of Wm. Wharton in the property becomes absolute. Fine £15.†

†COURT LEET, COURT BARON AND CUSTOMARY COURT OF HENRY MASTERMAN HELD BY ADJOURNMENT ON FRIDAY, 3 JUNE 1757 BEFORE JOHN WILMER, STEWARD.

JURY. [as last court.]

At the court held on 11 May 1756 Samuel Smith of York, gardener, surrendered a messuage and 2½ a. of land in Holdgate to the use of his will. It is now found that Samuel Smith is lately dead and that by his will, dated 30 Jan. 1756, probate of which under seal of the Exchequer and Prerogative Court of His Grace the archbishop of York is produced gave the property to his niece Isabel Hodgson. Fine £9.

Eleanor Hill, widow, is lately dead and she died seised of a cottage with garth and common right and Moor Close, formerly divided into 2 closes, now in the occupation of John Steel, and 4 a. of arable land, now in the occupation of John Hill, all in Acomb, and John Hill, her son by Peter Hill, her late husband, deceased, is her heir. Fine £12. †

†COURT LEET, COURT BARON AND CUSTOMARY COURT OF HENRY MASTERMAN, TUESDAY, 18 OCT. 1757 BEFORE JOHN WILMER, STEWARD.

JURY. John Hill, foreman, Wm. Stothard, Robt. Hill, John Norris, Benj. Kirke, Wm. Ward, Thos. Harness, Thos. Gregory, Hy. Mills, Ric. Overend, John Ellis, Wm. Hebden, Robt. Mitchell, Jos. Kirke.

Joseph Hobson the elder late of Copmanthorpe but now of Marton lordship on 24 May 1757 surrendered per John Ellis and Wm.

Shepherd all his lands, tenements and hereditaments to the use of his last will.

Sir William Robinson of Newby, bart., on 17 Aug. 1757 surrendered per Wm. Stothard and Thos. Harness 2 cottages and 20 a. of arable land with appurtenances and $\frac{1}{2}$ a. in the Fettees and a little close, 1 r., leading by the Hall Place of Clifton, formerly the lands and tenements of Edmund Sandwith and Frances, his wife, also 1 a. in the Ings, $\frac{1}{2}$ a. on the Rid Lands, $\frac{1}{2}$ a. on the Tofts, 1 r. on the Long Wandles and 1 r. on the Short Wandles in Clifton, formerly the lands of Philip Ash and John Oliver, and also 3 r. called *Marshall Butts*, 1 r. between the ways near the Cross in Clifton, 1 a. in Acomb Ings called *Clifton Acre* and a cottage and garth in Clifton, $\frac{1}{2}$ a. in Hobthrush Bedflatt, $\frac{1}{2}$ a. next the Double Dyke, formerly of Wm. Williamson and Mary, his wife, and John Adcock and Elizabeth, his wife, and a cottage, barn and garden in Clifton, formerly of John Lambert, with appurtenances to the use of his last will.

Elizabeth Acomb, spinster, is dead and she died seised of a messuage and croft &c. in Acomb and in the Farrfield, Hanging Cliff Close, Milldoor Close, 2 Broad Long Lands, 1 a.; a Narrow Long Land, 1 r.; 3 Narrow Scorbuts, 3 r.; a Broad Scorbutt, $\frac{1}{2}$ a.; the Stone Brig, 1 r.; the Milldoor, $\frac{1}{2}$ a.; Midforth Lands, 1 a.; 2 little $\frac{1}{2}$ a.; the Melgate, 1 r.; the Pine, $\frac{1}{2}$ a.; 2 Goldy bottoms, $1\frac{1}{2}$ r.; in the Millfield, 3 Gares, 1 a.; the Ouse acre; Husband How, $\frac{1}{2}$ a.; a Bit against the How, $\frac{1}{2}$ r.; a Pellittrain, 1 r.; a Bit in Milsike, $\frac{1}{2}$ r.; Longland, 1 r.; Lodgeley, $\frac{1}{2}$ r.; the Kirkrood; 2 Longlands 1 a.; in the Lowfield, 2 Oxcrofts, 2 r.; the Holdgate rood; 3 Moorlands, 3 a.; in the Beckfield, the Marr, $\frac{1}{2}$ a., 2 Long Roods; 2 Coltoff $\frac{1}{2}$ a.; Henthorn, 1 r.; in the Chappelfield, the Loskarr, $\frac{1}{2}$ a.; the Loskarr Calf, $\frac{1}{2}$ r.; Gilder-scarr, $\frac{1}{2}$ a.; 2 Lambcrofts, 2 r.; the Beck Bit, $\frac{1}{2}$ r.; Gormire, 1 r.; Scubalkland, $\frac{1}{2}$ r.; the How, $\frac{1}{2}$ r.; 2 Wetlands, 3 r.; Wrangland, 1 r.; Barreldike, $\frac{1}{2}$ r.; Middle Barreldike, $\frac{1}{2}$ r.; in the Hobmoor, $\frac{1}{2}$ a.; two $\frac{1}{2}$ r.; Stonehouse Close; Hobmoor Close; in the Ings, 4 Overices, 2 a.; in Holdgate Howfield, 2 r.; Smithy Green in Acomb, 3 r.; also $6\frac{1}{2}$ Carrgates in Acomb Carr and $3\frac{1}{2}$ Fallowgates, now in the occupation of Joseph Acomb, her nephew. Joseph Acomb, her nephew and son of her eldest brother, Joseph Acomb, deceased, is her nearest heir. Fine £48. †

†COURT LEET, COURT BARON AND CUSTOMARY COURT OF HENRY MASTERMAN, FRIDAY, 14 APRIL 1758 BEFORE JOHN WILMER, STEWARD.

JURY. Wm. Stothard, foreman, John Doughty, Wm. Thompson, Thos. Speight, Jos. Acomb, Wm. Ward, Thos. Slaton, John Norris, John Glaisby, John Acomb, Wm. Hill, Ric. Overend, Geo. Stainforth, Benj. Kirke.

John Gill of York, gent., is dead and he died seised of a messuage with garth and croft, outbuildings, barns, &c. and appurtenances in Clifton, late in the occupation of Robt. Fawcett and Tristram

Kirkman and now of Mary Meeke, widow, and Wm. Dickinson, gardener, subject (with other lands and tenements) to the payment of £700 mentioned in the will of Wm. Day of York, deceased, to the persons named after the death of John Gill and Thos. Gill of York, gent. Thos. Gill is his brother and next heir. Fine £21 5. 0.

Hannah, former wife of John Glaisby of York, innholder, and daughter of Margaret Sheppard, deceased, died some time ago seised of a Moorland in the Lowfield, 1 a., between lands of Hy. Masterman on N. and S., in the Millfield, 2 Husband Hows, 1 a., and in the Farfield, 2 Long Half Acres, with appurtenances. Wm. Glaisby is the eldest son of John Glaisby and Hannah and is next heir. Fine £2 18. 0. †

†COURT LEET, COURT BARON AND CUSTOMARY COURT OF HENRY MASTERMAN HELD BY ADJOURNMENT ON FRIDAY, 26 MAY 1758 BEFORE JOHN WILMER, STEWARD.

JURY. [as last court.]

Jeremiah Barstow of Acomb, gent., is dead and he died seised of the moiety of a Lamy Croft in the Chappelfield, $\frac{1}{2}$ r., land of his and Ann Barstow, his mother, on E. and W., now in the occupation of Thos. Gowland, which was purchased of John Hill of Acomb by Wm. Barstow, father of Jeremiah and husband of Ann, also a fourth part of a Lamy Croft, 1 r., now in the occupation of Wm. Gowland, and purchased by Wm. Barstow of Mary Shepherd, widow, deceased, and also a fourth part of Lammy Crofts in the Chappelfield, 2 r., lying E. and W. on the lands of him and Ann, his mother, now in the occupation of Thos. Gowland, with appurtenances, purchased by Wm. Barstow of Thos. Harness of Acomb, yeoman, deceased, also a cottage in Acomb with a garth, croft and draw well, common right and right of turbary &c. now in the occupation of Robt. Harwood, purchased by Wm. Barstow of Margaret Fairweather of Acomb, widow, deceased, and also three parts in four of a moiety of a messuage wherein Jonathon Ellis, deceased, formerly dwelt, and half the toft and croft and appurtenances belonging, and of three parts in four of 5 Carrgates and 5 Fallowgates now in the occupation of Wm. Gowland, purchased by Wm. Barstow of Abraham Hollings of Rawden in the parish of Guisely, cordwainer, and Elizabeth, his wife, who was one of the children of Jonathon Ellis, and the moiety of one Owse Acre in the Millfield, the lands of Thos. Harness on the W. and Ann Barstow on the E. and a moiety of 3 *Doales* in the Acomb Owse Ings and 2 parcels abutting on the river *Owse* and another parcel in the Fleet with appurtenances, purchased by Wm. Barstow of Montagu Giles of Clifton, brickmaker, and John Giles of Kingston upon Hull, gent., and also the reversion of 3 a. in the Intack of Holdgate and of 2 a. in the first Furshott of the Lowfield of Holdgate and 4 *Doles* or *Dales* in the How Close of Holdgate, purchased by Wm. Barstow of John Richmond of Dringhouses, deceased, Wm. Richmond, yeoman, eldest son of John, and Nic. Suger of York,

gent., now in the occupation of Thos. Gowland, and of a moiety of a Marr half acre and a Cowliff half acre in the Beckfield of Acomb, now in the occupation of Ric. Bland. Ann Barstow, the mother, now produced the will, dated 5 Feb. 1758, in which he gave to his mother, Ann Barstow, all his copyhold property, having since the last court surrendered the property, per Jos. Kirke and Ric. Bland, to the use of his last will. Fine £17 13. 0.

Wm. Wharton is lately dead and he died seised of one close with the new built house and yard, garden, &c with appurtenances in Acomb, now in the occupation of Matt. Burton. Thomas Wharton of New Malton is his brother and heir and Thos. Wharton on 1 April 1758 surrendered per John Allanson and Jos. Norfolk the premises to the use of Robt. Burton of Linton upon Ouze, yeoman, and Thos. Lund of Newton upon Ouze, yeoman, but to such uses as by a deed of assignment enrolled in High Court of Chancery, dated 20 Oct. 1757, and made between Peter Johnson the younger, John Mayer and Herbert Ferreman of the one part and Robt. Burton and Thos. Lund of the other part, is expressed and by an indenture of bargain and sale enrolled in the High Court of Chancery, now produced, and dated 20 Oct. 1757, reciting that the King's Majesty's commission made under the great seal of Great Britain, dated at Westminster on 22 Aug. last, has been awarded against Matt. Burton late of Acomb, coalmerchant, dealer and chapman, and the commission found that for several years Matt. Burton used the trade of coalmerchant, dealer and chapman and during the time of his trading bought and sold great quantities of coals and endeavoured to get his living thereby and during the time of his trading did become indebted to Robt. Burton of £100 and upwards and to other creditors in several sums of money and being so indebted became a bankrupt. At the time Matt. Burton became a bankrupt he was seised of the above property and also 3 other copyhold tenements in Acomb in the occupation of John Heilds, Martha Hill and Matt. Burton and at the time he was declared bankrupt he was possessed of certain goods, chattels and effects and also that there were several debts and sums of money due to him or his estate. The commissioners in consideration of 5s. paid to them by Robt. Burton and Thos. Lund sell all the above property to Robt. Burton and Thos. Lund in trust for the benefit of Robt. Burton and other creditors of Matt. Burton. Fine £25 10. 0.†

†COURT LEET, COURT BARON AND CUSTOMARY COURT OF HENRY MASTERMAN, FRIDAY, 3 NOV. 1758 BEFORE JOHN WILMER, STEWARD.

JURY. Wm. Stothard, foreman, Thos. Blackburn, Thos. Jackson, Thos. Harness, Wm. Thompson, Robt. Wharton, Wm. Hebden, Ric. Bland, Benj. Kirke, Robt. Mitchell, Robt. Harrison, Wm. Wilson, Roger Overend, Robt. Hill.

At a court held on 10 April 1755 Elizabeth Cass of Scaddlethorp, widow, had on 2 Feb. 1755 surrendered per John Allanson and John Hill in the Farfield, 2 Medford Lands, 1 a.; 2 Little Half Acres, 1 a.;

a Longland, 2 r.; 4 Scorbuts, 1 a.; 3 Pines, 1 a. 1 r.; Gouldy Bottoms, 2 r.; Appletree Stubbs, 2 r.; in the Beckfield, Longrood, 3 a. 1 r.; Henthornes, 1 r.; Knapton Gate Bitts, 1 r.; Holdgate roods, 2 r.; Oxcroft, 1 r.; in the Chappelfield, Gruntling Nook, 1 r.; 2 Loskers, 1 a.; Wranglands, 2 r.; Sandyland, 1 r.; Gilderskell, 2 r.; in the Millfield, 2 Ouze Acres, 1 a.; Mill Sty, 1 r.; Longland Ends, 1 r.; and Lodge Lees, 2 r.; with appurtenances &c. now in the occupation of Wm. Hebden to the use of her last will. Elizabeth Cass is dead and she died seised of the above premises and by her will, probate of which under seal of the Exchequer Court of His Grace the lord archbishop of York is produced, she gave the above property to her son John Cass. Fine £15 2. 0. †

†COURT LEET, COURT BARON AND CUSTOMARY COURT OF HENRY MASTERMAN, FRIDAY, 27 APRIL 1759 BEFORE JOHN WILMER, STEWARD.

JURY. John Norris, foreman, Wm. Shepherd, John Doughty, Thos. Gregory, Geo. Stainforth, Thos. Cresser, Robt. Mitchell, Ric. Bland, John Cass, Jos. Acomb, Benj. Kirke, Thos. Fowler, Thos. Gowland, Thos. Slayton.

Declaration by Wilkinson Blanshard giving power of attorney to Ric. Farrer of York to surrender 2 messuages in Acomb, formerly in the tenure of Benj. Kirke, afterwards of Luke Thompson and late of John Kilvington, to the use of Samuel Armytage of the Lodge, commonly called Woodside, and Rebecca, his wife, receiving of them the purchase money, or so much of it as shall be due after payment of principal and interest due to Wm. Gossip on a mortgage on the same premises.

Wm. Gossip late of Skelton and now of Thorp Arch and Wilkinson Blanshard late of York and now of the parish of St. Martin-in-the-Fields, Middlesex, by his attorney, Ric. Farrer of York, on 7 Jan. 1759 surrender per John Wilmer, steward, 2 messuages [as in declaration above] to the use of Samuel Armytage and Rebecca, his wife. Fine £22 10. 0.

John Rowlay of Clifton on 12 Dec. 1758 surrendered per Wm. Shepherd and John Ellis all his copyhold estate to the use of his last will.

Thos. Gill of York, gent., on 26 April 1759 surrendered per John Allanson and Mr. John Hotham a messuage with garth and croft and other appurtenances in Clifton, now in the tenure of Widow Meeke and Wm. Dickinson, *gardiner*, to the use of his last will. †

†COURT LEET, COURT BARON AND CUSTOMARY COURT OF HENRY MASTERMAN HELD BY ADJOURNMENT ON 29 MAY 1759 BEFORE JOHN WILMER, STEWARD.

JURY. [as last court.]

Thos. Harness of Acomb on 1 May 1759 surrendered per Wm. Stothard and Jos. Kirke all his copyhold property to the use of his last will.

On 17 May 1759 Andrew Craggs, cordwainer, and Jane, his wife, Mary Carpenter, widow, John Stroud, instrument maker, and Elinor, his wife, and David Aked, yeoman, and Frances, his wife, (which Jane, Mary, Elinor and Frances are daughters and co-heirs in the will of Elleleanor Brignell, widow, their late mother) surrendered per John Ellis and Thos. Fowler a cottage with barn, yard and appurtenances, now in the occupation of Geo. Bilbrough, and in the Chappellfield, a Broad Sandy Land, $\frac{1}{2}$ a.; a Broad Beck bitt, 1 r.; in the Lowfield, a Broad Oxcroft, $\frac{1}{2}$ a.; a Dowdale bitt, $\frac{1}{2}$ r.; in the Millfield, a Longland, $\frac{1}{2}$ a.; 2 Longland Ends, $\frac{1}{2}$ r.; a Lodge Lea, 1 r.; in the Farfield, a Broad Scorbitt, $\frac{1}{2}$ a.; a narrow Golden Bottom, $\frac{1}{2}$ r.; with appurtenances now or late in the occupation of Geo. Bilbrough and Ric. Bland to the use of John Elwick the younger of York, merchant *taylor*. Fine £5 1. 9 $\frac{3}{4}$.

Ann Barstow of Acomb on 20 Nov. 1758 surrendered per Jos. Kirke and Ric. Bland all her copyhold property to the use (after her decease) of Jeremiah Barstow, son of Jeremiah Barstow of Wakefield, gent.

Geo. Plaister of Acomb is lately dead and he died seised of a cottage house in Acomb, now in the occupation of John Ripley, with a garth and common right and also 3 roods of meadow in the Chappellfield. Before his death, on 17 Dec. 1758, he surrendered per Mr. John Hill and Wm. Stothard all his copyhold property to the use of his last will and by his will, dated 17 Dec. 1758, probate of which under seal of Thos. Lumley, clerk, batchelor of law, commissary of the Peculiar and Spiritual Jurisdiction of Acomb, is produced gave the property to his daughter Frances Plaister subject to the payment of 5s. a year to the church-wardens of Acomb for the repair of the church and 20s. a year to Jane Plaister, his wife, during her life and to his daughter, Ann Haw, 5s. Fine £2 15. 0. †

†COURT LEET, COURT BARON AND CUSTOMARY COURT OF HENRY MASTERMAN, FRIDAY, 23 NOV. 1759 BEFORE JOHN WILMER, STEWARD.

JURY. John Laycock, foreman, John Norris, Benj. Kirke, Thos. Speight, Wm. Stothard, John Glaisby, John Walker, Wm. Ward, Thos. Gowland, Hy. Mills, Wm. Allanby, Benj. Brewster, John Ellis, Thos. Gregory.

A declaration by Leonard Thompson of the parish of St. John the Evangelist in Westminster, Middlesex, appointing Robt. Brown of Terrington, yeoman, his attorney for the surrender of his copyhold property in Acomb.

Leonard Thompson of the parish of St. John the Evangelist in Westminster, Middlesex, on 1 Aug. 1759 by Robt. Brown of Terrington, his attorney, surrendered per Wm. Stothard and Ric. Bland 1 $\frac{1}{2}$ a. in a close called *Civikers* in Clifton, then in the possession of Squire Giles, to the use of Mary Robinson of York, spinster. Fine £2 16. 3. †

**Court Leet, Court Baron and Customary Court of Henry Masterman,
Monday, 6 Oct. 1760 before John Wilmer, steward.**

Jury. Wm. Stothard, foreman, Jos. Kirke, John Norris, Benj. Kirke, Geo. Stainforth, Wm. Hebden, Wm. Wilson, Ric. Overend, Wm. Ream, Ric. Bland, John Acomb, Wm. Shepherd, John Ellis, Thos. Gowland.

John Hobson late of Copmanthorpe and now of York, and Mary, his wife, on 29 May 1760 surrendered per John Wilmer, steward, a frontstead of a messuage in Holdgate with a garth, a close of meadow adjoining the house of Wm. Thompson, 8½ a. of arable, meadow and pasture in Follyman Field and Low Field, 13 gates in Follyman Field and Lowfield, 12 gates in the How Field, the Ings and the Intack in Holdgate, with common of pasture, all of which were formerly the estate of John Richmond, deceased, and late in the occupation of John Jeeb and now of Mary Jeeb, his widow, to the use of Elizabeth Daile, spinster, a minor who cometh by Robt. Daile, her father and guardian. Fine £22 17. 6.

**Court Leet, Court Baron and Customary Court of Henry Masterman,
Monday, 6 Oct. 1760 before John Wilmer, Steward.**

Jury. John Hill, foreman, Wm. Stothard, John Laycock, John Cass, Ric. Bland, John Acomb, Jos. Acomb, Hy. Mills, Wm. Hebden the elder, Thos. Slaton, Thos. Gowland, Jos. Kirk, Geo. Bilbrough, John Hartley.

Roger Overend of Acomb on 22 Sept. 1758 surrendered per John Hill and Jos. Acomb his copyhold messuage with barn, garden &c. which he purchased of Wm. Gowland and all other his copyhold estate to the use of his last will.

**Court Leet, Court Baron and Customary Court of Henry Masterman
held by adjournment on Wednesday, 5 Nov. 1760 before John
Wilmer, steward.**

Jury. [as last court.]

Chris. Redman of Acomb on 4 Nov. 1760 surrendered per Wm. Stothard and Ric. Bland his cottage &c. with stable, lately rebuilt, with the orchard, garth and common rights in Acomb, formerly the estate of Thos. Hinchcliffe, deceased, to the use of Thos. Kilvington of Dringhouses, yeoman. Fine £8 14. 0.

**†COURT LEET, COURT BARON AND CUSTOMARY COURT
OF HENRY MASTERMAN, FRIDAY, 29 MAY 1761 BEFORE
JOHN WILMER, STEWARD.**

JURY. Ric. Overend, foreman, John Hill, John Norris, Wm. Hebden, John Doughty, Wm. Ellis, John Hebden, John Laycock, John Acomb, Benj. Kirke, Wm. Ream, Jos. Kirke, Robt. Hill, Geo. Hayton.

John Plaister of Acomb, yeoman, and Jane Plaister of Acomb, spinster, surrender per Robt. Wharton and Thos. Creaser a dwelling house, lately burnt down, in the Chappel Field of Acomb with appurtenances to the use of John Hill, gent., and Wm. Stothard in trust that after the dwelling house is rebuilt at the cost of the overseers of the poor of Acomb to permit John Plaister and Rebecca, his wife, to occupy the same (except a room at the south end) for their lives and to permit Jane Plaister to occupy the room at the south end for her life and after the decease of John, Rebecca and Jane to permit such persons as the church wardens and overseers of the poor of Acomb shall nominate. Fine [unspecified].

Roger Overend, late of Acomb, died seised of 2 messuages and a cottage with garth and appurtenances and also 2 oxgangs, 6 a. and 2 r. of land in Acomb. Before his death, on 2 Sept. 1758, he surrendered per John Hill and Jos. Acomb all his property, which he purchased of Wm. Gowland, to the use of his last will. And by his will, dated 17 Dec. 1760, now produced he gave his property to Ric. Overend, his son, subject to the payment of £15 a year to his daughter Ann Maud to be paid by half yearly instalments and in case of want of such issue he gave the property to his two daughters Beatrice and Ann Maud, subject to the said annuity, and *in case Richard Overend should demand anything of his daughter Beatrice on pretence of Board or any other matter then his bequest to him should be null and void.* Fine £40. †

